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Iraqi-Syrian pipeline to resume operation

DAMASCUS, Jan. 9 (Agencies) — Deputy Prime Minister Jamil Shaya announced Tuesday that Iraq will resume pumping its oil across Syria, the Syrian News Agency Sana reported.

Shaya was speaking after a meeting with Iraqi Pianning Minister Adnan Hussein on steps toward economic union between the two countries. Iraq, which until last Octo-

ber was locked in bitter political conflict with its neighbor, stopped pumping its oil to the Syrian port of Banias in 1976.

The development followed a series of meetings by joint commissions after the two states formally shelved their dif-

Meanwhile the semi-official daily "Tishrin" said Tuesday agreement to reopen the pipehne was "one of the most important outcomes of the joint commissions meetings. After halting the flow of oil to Syria the Iraqis built a

Fighting

reported in S. Yemen

CAIRO, Jan. 9 (UPI)-A spokesman for a rebel faction opposing the Marxist govern-ment of Aden said Tuesday the group has resorted to open warfare and was tighting government forces in three south Yemeni provinces for the past

The claim was made hy a spokesman for the United National Front for South Yemen, which is led by Abdul Qawi

Makkawi has been in exile (Continued on back page)

substitute oil pipeline to the Turkish coastal town of iskandaroun for on exports. will be for Syrian domestic

initially, the oil reportedly use, but the development appears to herald greater exports of Iraqi oil from the Mediterталеап.

The agreement on the pipetine was part of a wide-ranging effort by the two countries to forge closer links in the fields of defense, foreign policy, culture, information and

No date has been formally announced for the flow of oil to resume, but presumably it will begin following formal approvat of the draft agreements by the Joint Syrian-Higher Political Committee, headed by Syrian President Hafez Assad and Iraqi President Alamad Hassan Bakr, which was expected to be convened in Damascus on Jan. 20.

Tishrin" said the two presidents will also discuss a form of unity hetween their countries at their forthcoming mee-

It said the coordination hetween the two countries "has gone beyond the national charter of joint action ... and aims at the establishment of a full unity and its constitutional formulae."

Tishrin said presidents Assad and Bakr will also discuss political development in the Middle East and Arab efforts to meet "the Zionist and imperialist plot against the Arab ROTTER

The paper added that the two countries joint political and military committee, expec-ted to unify the Syrian and Iraqi anules, would meet as soon as the Syrian Defense udister, Maj. Gen. Mustaphe Thas returns from his current visit to Missoow.

COMMERCE MINISTERS: Crown Prince Fahd and a delegation of Arab Com-

Fahd receives Arab ministers

Crown Prince Fahd of the Gulf states who attended a conference on Gulf trade

received commerce ministers nister Dr. Soliman A. Solaim.

Prince Fahd assured the by Dr. Rashad Pharaon, spe-

They were introduced to aims at "broadening the hase" Tuesday the prince hy Commerce Mi- of economic and trade coordination among Gulf states."

Peace treaty efforts shifting to autonomy for Gaza Strip

By Bob Lebling Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 ---The focus of quiet diplomatic efforts to reach an Egyptian-Israeli peace has shifted to the question of autonomy for the Gaza Strip, Egyptian sources said here Tuesday.

After several weeks of U.S.sponsored mediation efforts following up last month's meeting of Egyptian and Israeli officials in Brussels — Egypt. now says it will resume forand negotiations only if agreement is reached beforeband on the time-table and details of autonomy in Gaza.

Under heavy pressure to sign a peace treaty as soon as possible, Egypt is now willing to resume talks with lerael if the Israelis agto resume talks ree to set a date for the election of a Gaza self-governing authority as a first step leading to autonomy for the

Wost Bank Egyptian officials here say Israel has agreed in principle to a timetable for Gaza elections, but major differences remain over the powers to be granted to the proposed Gaza authority.

Israel wants the authority to have severely limited powers. but Egypt is insisting the pro-Gaza council have broad controls over such key areas as water resources and

Egypt and Israel do not reach preliminary agreement on this question, the peace talks will not be resumed, the

sources said If the negotiations are resumed, the question of a timetable for West Bank autonomy still remains to be solved.

loraed is demanding that treaty language on a timetable for West Bank elections be kept intentionally vague, using the phraseology "as early as possible." Egypt still insists on the use of the phrase "no later than (a mutually agreed date)."

Meanwhile President Anwar Sadat said Tuesday peace between Egypt and Israel will be realized despite the "hesita-tion" of Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin, and that 95 percent of the work toward a peace treaty has been accomphished already.

Sadat, who chatted with reporters during a visit to a de-Aswan, said he had not yet neceived a reply from Wasi-ington to a 16-page letter sent to Secretary of State Cyrus Vance last Sunday.

"Peace will come despite the hesitation of Mr. Begin," said Sadat. "Peace is only a quesgion of time and it will come."

"Ninety-five percent of the work (for peace) has been ac-complished," Sadat said, "Peace is no tonger problem number one but may have second or even third place.

"I am devoting myself now to the greening of Egyptian deserts," he said.

The Egyptian letter to Van-ce left it to Washington to decide how, when and where the race negotiations may be re-"I have not received a rep-

Sadat said. "Let us wait for the next few days." The U.S. State Department said Monday that in his lener,

Israel will authorize West Bank settlement

TEL AVIV, Jan. 9 (Agen- a group which can settle cies) — The government of Prime Minister Menahem Begin indicated Tuesday it will permit the establishment of a new Jewish settlement in the occupied West Bank in the near future.

No definite time or place was set for the settlement, but Begin was reported in favor of the establishment of the settlement within two months.

Such a move will end a freeze on new settlements imposed with the signing of the Camp David peace accords Sept. 17. The government pledged its

intention to change its policy to a group of ultranationalist settlers who had been camping near an army roadblock in the occupied West Bank since Dec. 31 when troops stopped their attempt to create an unauthstrized outpost.

"They will be recognized as

the near future, but the time and place have not been set for their settlement," government sources said. The sources stressed the final decision for the settlement would be decided by the cabinet.

The group left the roadblock Monday after receiving the pledge from Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon. He told them Begin favors the estahlishment of the settlement within two months.

"This was a satisfactory and a positive decision," a spokesman for the settlement group which belongs to the radical Gush Emunim (bloc of the faithful) movement. "The government is not evading the possibility of settlement, but the contrary." He said the movement sees the planned settlement as the first step in a program to bring

the United States has advised the Shah that his temporary departure from the country would improve the prospects for a restoration of order, U.S. declined to take up his post. As Tehran's first winter

officials said Tuesday. The sources, who asked not to he identified, said the decision was reached after it became apparent that the installation of a new civilian goministry portfolio. vernment was not producing a significant easing of ten-

sions in Iran. Other sources said the U.S. position amounts to a defacto recognition that the Shah's departure would be permanent since his return to Iran could trigger off a new wave of

strikes and violence Since taking office last Saturday, the government of Prime Minister Shahpour Bakhtiar has been plagued hy continued street unrest, strikes and attacks from opposition groups which have accused Bakhtiar of selling out to the monarchy.

(Agencies) — In a policy shift,

According to sources, the Shah's departure also could defuse Iran's oil industry strike, which has led to a suspension of oil exports for the past several weeks and caused considerable concern in the United States and other oil importing countries.

Reports from Tehran in tecent days have indicated that the Shah plans to leave the country on a vacation but there has been no official The sources said that the

policy change was telephoned to U.S. Ambassador William Sullivan, who talks almost daily to the Shah in Tehran. His former instructions were to he noncommital on the subject of the Shah leaving or staying.

In the present situation, it is regarded as unlikely that the Shah would return to Iran, so even a short "vacation" would be tantamount to a permanent departure,

However, a U.S. task force, operating under Under Secretary of State David Newsom, came to the conclusion that a new government would have a much better chance of giving a credible image of independence if the Shah were not in the country.

The policy change followed a practically non-stop debate within the administration and appears to mean that the State Department has come to the conclusion that the Shah has 300,000 Jews to the West Bank. no future in his own country,

Shah to leave Iran current crisis.

Iran's fledgling civilian government was plunged into a major crisis Tuesday with the news that its key minister had

snow blanketed the capital, reliable political sources said former army Gen. Fereidoun Jam had turned down the war

Jam, a retired army commander, flew back to Tehran from London last Saturday for the first time in several years to take up the key post in the

His task would have been to.

army and the liberal government now engaged in a last ditch political attempt to save the Shah's throne while slashing his power after a year of

growing revolt. Jam was listed in the new civilian cahinet as war minister, but the sources said he was planning to leave with

out even taking up the joh. Newspapers Tuesday quoted Bakhtiar as saying he was trying to persuade him to give it a try "and I hope it will result in him starting his work

as soon as possible.

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In Damascus

Hoss, Khaddam plan coordination' talks

BEIRUT. Jan. 9 (Agencies) gulars in the troubled southern - Prime Minister Salim Hoss will visit Damascus later this week for policy-coordination with Syrian Deputy Premier

sources said Tuesday. They said the two men discussed the imminent visit over the telephone Tuesday and "agreement in principle was reached for Hoss to go to Damas-

and Foreign Minister Abdul

Halim Khaddam, government

cus Saturday." High on the agenda of the Syrian-Lebanese talks will be the Beirut government's plans to widen its security grip over the country and the implementation of recent resolutions adopted hy a meeting of Arab foreign ministers and endorsed

by the Lebanese cabinet. The resolutions call for the disarmament of the various Lebanese right-wing and left-wing militia forces and the normalization of Palestinian commando relations with the Lebanese

These relations were discussed Tuesday by Hoss and Palestinian leader Abu Ivad who expressed support for the stationing of Lebanese army reborder region.

After the meeting Abu Iyad said the commando movement favors the army's presence in the emhattled area "because this would be better than the presence there of (rightist rebel

commander) Saad Haddad." Abu lyad is number two man in the Fateh commando

In the south, meanwhile, Israeli troops in tanks and halftrack vehicles are making regular night patrols inside Lebanon. United Nations sources said Monday.

It was the first report of regular Israeli patrols in southern Lebanon since Israel's forces withdrew from the area after their invasion last March.

The sources said the Israelis were operating in 10-man units along a road parallel to the Israeli border and running west from the border village of Ramise.

No further details of the Israeli iroops movements were immediately available.

A U.N. officer also reported that rightist militias have mov-(Continued on back page)

PNC to meet without West Bank delegates DAMASCUS, Jan. 9 (R) - for me meeting, the Israeli

The Palestinian National Council, will be convened here Monday without the participation of representatives from the Israelioccupied West Bank following a travel ban imposed on them by the Jewish state, it was announced Tuesday.

Council speaker Khaled Fahoum, makiny the announcement, added that the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) also did not invite the representatives because it wanted them to remain in the West Bank "facing the occupation."

Fahoum reported that in addition to banning council memtravelling to the Syrian capital he added.

authorities also had threatened to prevent the return of those who attended anyway.

Fahoum said invitations had been sent to 293 members of the council and to a number of Arab and friendly countries, organizations and parties. The council would discuss a

political report on the continuation of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's policy, the question of unity among Palestinian organizations and the new PLO budget following the considerable financial support agreed hy Arab leaders at their sumbers in the West Bank from mit in Baghdad in November,



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Soviets recognize new Cambodia regime

BANGKOK, Jan. 9 (R) — The Soviet Union Tuesday recognized the Peoples Revolutionary Council, set up in Physon Penh Monday, as the legal government of Cambodia-The official news agency Tass said in Moscow that a message from Soviet President Lennid Brezhnev and Premier

government of Kampuchea (Cambodia)." The Kremlin leaders addressed their greetings to the chairman of the eight-member council, Heng Samrin, it said. They extended congratulations on behalf of the Supreme Soviet (parliament), the Soviet government and people on "the victory of the revolutionary patriotic forces," it added.

Alexei Kosygin described the council as "the sole legitimate

Earlier Tuesday, Vietnam and Laos recognized the Peoples Revolutionary Council, as the legal government of Cambodia. In Phnom Penh, the eight-member council announced its

backed hy Vietnam swept the Khmer Rouge government of Prime Minister Pol Pot out of the city on Sunday. The council claims it controls the whole of Cambodia but Western diplomatic sources in Bangkok said there were still large areas of the country - in the north, northwest, west and southwest - not in the hands of the insurgents or their

formation after a two-week blitzkrieg by Cambodian rebels

Military sources reported small arms and light artillery fire during the night and two aircraft identified as Soviet-built MiG-21s — a type known to have been supplied to Vietnam — dropped three bombs on the Thai side of the frontier Tuesday

afternoon. No damage was caused. The Western sources could not confirm reports of wides-

said they felt it likely that bombing was still going on. On each of the two days before the fall of Phnom Penh

pread airstrikes in Cambodia by the Vietnamese air force, hut

the Vietnamese flew more than 100 airstrikes against Cambodians positions, the sources said.

The Vietnamese push on the capital was so fast that many government units were bypassed and it was likely that airstrikes against them and units in other areas not involved in the assault were continuing, they said.

But it was not clear how many government units were intact or what their strength was and it was difficult to assess

the level of resistance, the sources added. Former Cambodian head of state Prince Norodom Sinanouk, in Tokyo on his way to the United Nations to lay charges of aggression against Vietnam on behalf of the Pol Pot government, said Vietnamese backed forces controlled all but two Cambodian towns but Pol Pot forces controlled the coun-

Prime Minister leng Sary or other Cambodian leaders, since they left the capital.

Prince Sihanouk said in Peking, first stop on his trip to New York, that Pol Pot was still in Cambodia and would carry out his promise to wage a guerrilla war to the end.

There has been no hard news of Pol Pot, his Deputy

Ministers urge action on price discrimination

RIYADH, Jan. 9 (SPA) — Commerce ministers from Gulf countries meeting here Tuesday called for comprehensive studies by Gulf countries on alleged overpricing of goods by foreign companies.

At its closing session at King Faisal Conference Hall, the ministers recommended that international consultants be commissioned to survey prices of manufactured and consumer goods charged to Gulf countries.

Earlier Sunday, a committee of experts for the conference had alleged that foreign companies and trading blocs were using the rise in the price of oil to justify discriminatory increases in the prices of goods to Gulf countries.

The conference was allended by ministers from Kuwait, Iraq, Bahrain, the United Arab Emirates, Qatar and Oman and was chaired by Saudi Commerce Minister Dr. Soliman A.

In a series of recommendations issued here Tuesday evening to improve commercial cooperation between Gulf countries as a first step toward the formation of a Gulf "common market," the ministers approved a proposal by Saudi Arabia that it study the feasibility of a multilateral trade and economic treaty between Gulf countries. This would eventually abrogate present bilateral agreements.

The ministers offered encouragement for the speedy formations of a Gulf Chamber of Commerce, possibly at the meeting of the Federation of Gulf Chambers later this year. They also recommended a study on coordinating trade re-

gulations and methods in Gulf countries. Both studies will be submitted to the ministers at their conference next year in

At the same time, obstacles to trade caused by varying standards and specifications in manufactured and other goods are to be examined at a special meeting of the standards organizations of the Gulf countries. The meeting's findings will be submitted to the Kuwait conference.

Regarding food imports, on which all Gulf countries. are heavily dependent, the ministers proposed a survey of individual requirements for possible joint import of major bulk needs. This will enable Gulf countries draw up a common policy for creating a strategic stockpile of food. A committee of food importers will be set up to examine

the question. The conference also called for coordination in positions in such international trade forums as the United Nations Conference on Trade and Developmeni (UNCTAD) and the General Agreement on Trade and Tariffs (GATT). The ministers aligned themselves with the demands of the developing countries for a "common fund" to maintain price of raw materials. The ministers further noted the need for a suitable climate for the sale of Gulf manufactured products when the major petrochemical projects come onstream.

The ministers also proposed stricter monitoring of trade malpractices by foreign firms and shipping companies through individual chambers of commerce (and eventually the Gulf chamber) and stronger deterrent measures.

NEW ENVOY: Prince Fawaz Tuesday



CONFERENCE ENDS: Industry and Electricity Minister Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi greeting Gulf ministers of commerce at a special luncheon on the closing day of

Health, education -

Fahd okays children's year program

RIYADH, Jan. 9 (SPA)— Crown Prince Fahd Tuesday approved a health and education program proposed by a national committee to mark the

Camel savages Farasan couple

FARASAN, Jan. 9-A Farasan Islander and his were seriously injured Monday when a camel aniok and attacked them inside their house, "Okaz" reported Tuesday.

Both were rushed to a hospital at Jizan on the mainland after the camel entered the house and savaged the woman and then her husband as tried to help.

The man is reported to be in serious condition.

United Nations International Year of the Child, 1979. of 50,000 square meters.

The program includes three-month campaign of children's vaccination against po-lio, tetenus, diphtheria and whooping cought which will be preceded by a publicity campaign in the press and on radio and television. Seminars will also be held on child

The program also includes activities in primary education and information.

Deputy Minister of Education Prince Khaled ibn Fahd ibn Khaled presided over the committee meetings at the end of September. The committee includes representatives from the Ministries of Municipal and Rural Affairs, Planning, Information, Health Labor and Sncial Affairs and Riyadh University and the General Directorate for Women's Education.

It was also proposed that it be a permanent committee to be headed by a minister.

Meanwhile, the Youth Welfare Presidency has completed young people's social clubs filming in Qurayat, in the nor-for the village of Ghat; north ibeast, and has returned to of Riyadh, at a cost of SR 67 finish studio work in England.

Gulf agencies view drug abuse

JEDDAH, Jan. 9-A conference of national anti-narcotics organizations in the Gulf began in Kuwait Monday, "Al Jazirah" newspaper repurted Tuesday. The two-day conference will study a number of reports on the strengthening of cooperation among the various organizations, with a view to combating the spread of drug abuse among young people of the Gulf.

Those participating include delegations from Gulf countries and observers from the United States, India and international anti-narcotics orga-

Local briefs

BURAIDA, (SPA)-Executives from the two companies building a SR430 million military secondary school in west of Qasim airport were called Tuesday by the aeting gover-nor Sheikh Saad ibn Muhammad ibn Sultan to meet heads of government departments in Qasim. A SR-495 million contract was signed recently for a similar school in Wadi Al-Da-

● JEDDAH, (SPA)—A delega-tion from the Islamie Solidarity Fund, an autonomous body within the Jeddah-based Organization of the Islamic Conference will shortly visit Libya, Tunisia, Morocco. Algeria, Senegal and Gabon to raise contributions.

JEDDAH, (SPA)-Governor of Mecca Prince Fawaz Tues-day received at his office a delegation from the U.S. firm Union Carbide.

● MECCA—Gen. Jaber Abdul Hafiz told "Okaz" Tuesday that the Ministry of the Interior would shortly launch a new series of campaigns to deport illegal immigrants here.

JEDDAH, Visiting Chinese Minister of Economy Chang Kwang-shih Tuesday inspected the site of Jeddah's new airport and Jed-

dah Port • RIYADH. (SPA)—King Khaled Tuesday awarded the King Faisal Medal third class. to Maj. Gen. Hashim Muhammad Abdul Rahman, director general of traffic patrols, in appreciation of his outstanding performance of duty.

Addresses students

Algosaibi to launch sulfuric acid scheme

By Staff Reporters
DAMMAM, Jan. 9—Minister of industry and Electricity Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi Wednesday will preside at groundbreaking ceremonies for a new sulfuric acid plant, to be built by the Saudi Arabian Fertilizer Company (SAFCO).

The company told "Arab News' Tuesday that 100,000-ton a year plant will commence production by the first quarter of 1980.

A SR31 million contract for the design ,engineering, installation and commissioning of the plant was signed by SAFCO in July last year with Sim-Chem of the United Kingdom. The plant will use sulfur produced by two Petromin sulfur recovery units now under construction at Jubail.

In addition to the Sim-Chem contract, SAFCO will ventually spend another SR10-12 million on off-site and ancillary facilities for the plant and in construction of an acid storage and loading berth at King Abdul Aziz Port in Dammam.

The club, occupies an area

A water supply project for

the village has been awarded

to a national company at a cost of SR 3.5 million. It should be completed within a

Archeological

films planned

director has said.

JEDDAH, Jan. 9—The Department of Antiquities expects to complete six films on

the archeology of Saudi Arabia in six months, Dr.. Ab-

dallah 'Masri, the department's

Dr. Masri told "Arab News"

Monday the films, each of about 30 minutes in length,

are to be used in schools, uni-

versities and shown on local

Organized by period rather than area, the films will begin

with the early Stone Age and

move through the Islamic per-

One crew recently completed

theast, and has returned to

Dr. Algosaibi will also visit the SAPCO fertilizer plant to mark record production 1978. SAFCO exceeded into 1978 production target more than 10,000 tons.

Tuesday night, Dr. Algosaihi delivered a lecture to more than 400 students, faculty and community members at King Faisal University here. In an address entitled "The In an address entitled minister and the administrative challenges", Dr. Algosaibi spoke nf particular problems ministers face in Saudi Arabia. where development is going forward at speed. As an example, the minister said power generating capacity in the Kingdom's larger cities had increased by 50 per cent in the last year-against an interna-tional norm of 4-7 per cent.

Woman donates SR 1m to charity

RIYADH, Jan. 9-An annnymous woman has contributed SR1 millinn to the Riyadh Philanthropic Society for dis-tribution to charitable associations around the country. Riyadh Governor Prince Salman. the society's president

gosalbi said, a competent administration is more than ever vital. For the minister, administrative ability and an understanding of human behaviour is Livie important than technical expertise". At presente. however, shortage of trained staff and subordinates shy of responsibility have meant that a large number of relatively

In such conditions, Dr. Al-All for one

JEDDAH. Jan. 9-Nine hundred women were due to be interviewed Tuesday evening for the post of women's cusioms inspector at Riyadh Air-Tuesday There is one vacan-

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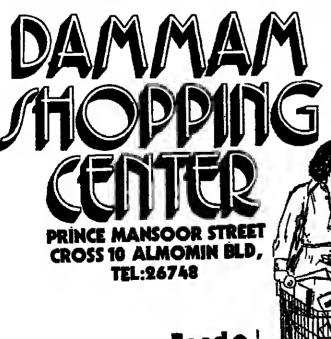
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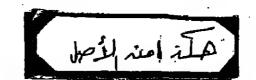
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Kurdish exiles blame Iraq for Vienna murder attempt

VIENNA. Jan. 9 (R)-The in nf Kurdistan's top nationist leader has escaped unhurt londay night what Kurdish tiles Tuesday called a murder tempt by secret agents.

Twn Kurdish refugees were ot and injured as they left block of flats in a Vienna burb after a secret rendezius with Masond Barzani, a iding figure in the exiled ardistan Democratic Party.

Barzani, son of the legen-

'ice president of Iraq rrives for Paris talks

PARIS, Jan.9 (R) — Iraqi ce President Taha Mohied-Maarouf arrived Tuesday talks with President Valery scard d'Estaing and other anch leaders on boosting pocal economic and industrial

raq, which has ordered an erimental atomic reactor m France, is also seeking ench nuclear plants in ex-inge for oil, officials said.

Maarouf was greeted by me Minister Raymond Baand senior cabinet miniswhen he arrived at Orly

The vice president and prime nister immediately began ks expected to pave the way a visit to France by Vice mirman of the Iraqi Revolu-

nary Command Council OC) Saddam Hussein. The talks may lead to a vi-

Police said they had no clues but were carrying out widespread enquiries to track down two men who apparently lay in wait for Barzani in a dingy back-street while he talked with a group of fellow

dary Mullah Mustapha Barzani who led a Kurdish revolt against Iraq for 13 years, was still inside the house when

sit by Barre to Baghdad later

Iraq, which has bought the bulk of its military equipment from the Soviet Union, is turning increasingly to Prance for planes. helicopters and

It has ordered 36 French Mirage F-1 fighter-bombers and is interested in France's new combat aircraft, the Mirage 2000, due for production in 1982.

The Baghdad government is also negotiating to buy the French Crotale anti-aircraft

Barre visited Baghdad in June, 1977 and French Defense Minister Yvon Bourges went there last year to wrap up a major arms deal Iraqi Defense Minister Adnan Khairallah Telfah is expected in Paris shortly for further talks, offi-cials said,

One of the two men hit by gib Azat, 32, was shot

pistol shots, Muhammad Nathe stomach, The other man. Ahmad Ibrahim Pirot, a Vienna medical student was sbot in the leg. The hospital said neither was in danger.

Barzani, aged about 35. was reported to be visiting Vienna to meet some of the 100 Kurdish exiles working or studying in Austria. He is a leading member of the 16-man provisional leadership of the exiled Kurdistan Democratic Party.

Police said they assumed the attack was directed against Barzani, and that the assailants opened first about 11 p.m. thinking he was one of three men leaving a Kurdish flat in Vienna's Meidling suburb. Five bullet holes were visible in the entrance of the apartment house Tuesday.

K.D.P. officials in Vienna and London accused the Iraqi government of sending armed agents to Europe to watch and assassinate leading exiles, but the charge was immediately called a lie by the Iraqi Embassy here.

Party spokesman Mohammad Arif, a Vienna student. who said he saw the attack, said. "we in the K.D.P. are quite sure this was an altempt against Barzani's son organized in cooperation with the Traqi

Arif said bis statemenr was hased on "information coming from our home cnuntry."



ADVANCE: Turkish troops advance on rioters during widespread month that led to the imposition of martial law.—(AP Photo)

2nd disaster in 5 days

ANKARA, Jan. 9 (R)-At least 30 people died and almost 100 were injured when a commuter train slammed into the back of another near here Tuesday in Turkey's second big rail disaster in five days.

Officials said the crowded coaches of a stalled passenger train were engulfed by fire after the early morning crash, and some of the hodies were burnt heyond recognition. So far only nine had been iden-

and over 100 injured in a crash between two express trains near the Turkish capital on Thursday night.

Prime Minister Bulent Ecevit said Tuesday is was time for a comprehensive investigation of the causes of both incidents, while sources said the possibility of sabotage could not be ruled out.

Officials attributed Tuesday's bigh death toll to the fact that the engine of the approaching train rammed directly into carriages crowded with people on their way to work in the capi-

Eyewitnesses said the fire started immediately in the heating unit of the second train, which was placed directly behind the engine.

it quickly engulfed the car-riages of the stalled train, which had stopped with engine trouble at the small sta-tion of Behichey, about 20 kilometers from Ankara's main terminal.

Hospital officials said large numbers of the injured suffered severe burns. Troops joined rescue wor-kers in grappling with the wreckage in a temperature of

minus. 18 centigrade. Ecevit, speaking to repor-ters after Tuesday's incident,

accidents have occurred im-mediately after each other leads one to consider every

This latest crash coincided with the opening of the Natinnal Railways Congress here. which is to make study of Turkey's state-run railways.

Informed sources said such a study was considered necessary in view of the government's policy of shifting a major portion of the country's transportation system to rail and skipping lines to costly oil.

Egypt suffers cold snap

CAIRO, Jan. 9 (AP) Egypt is in the midst of a cold snap because of chilly winds blowing down from Europe that have caused unusually low temperatures, heavy rain, five-meter high waves and a hail storm in the Mediterranean city of Damietta, where offishere waves rose to five

Israelis, Arabs bust out of jail

TEL AVIV, Jan. 9 (R) - Police have launched a major manhunt for seven Arab and Jewish prisoners who escaped from Ramle Jail. The Arabs were identified as Gamal Mahmoud Sulian, a West Bank resident serving a 23-year sentence on security charges, and his brotehr, Naim, sentenced to life imprisonment for murder. The others were Israelis serving from 17 years to life for murder and armed robbery.

19 killed under Turkish martial law

ANKARA, Jan. 9 (AP) — Nineteen persons have been killed in 118 incidents in the Turkish provinces placed under martial law two weeks ago to stem widespread political terrorism; the government said Monday.

Aegean dispute talks open

VIENNA, Jan. 9 (UPI) - Turkey and Greece opened a new round of talks Tuesday on the long pending problem of their frontier in the Aegean Sea. The negotiations are concentrating on the so-called "continental shelf," the territory under the surface where rich oil deposits are believed.

Qaddafi sends message to Amin

NAIROBI, Jan. 9 (R) - Libyan teader Moammar Qaddafi has sent a personal message to President Idi Amin, Uganda Radio reported Tuesday. Diplomats in Nairobi said it could be linked to a recent Ugandan allegation that Libya is supplying arms to Tanzania, which is engaged in a border

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TEHRAN, Jan. 9 (R) — mer Iranian Prime Minis-Amir Abbas Hoveyda, jailstor an indefinite period last Vember under martial law edations, has been quoted as ang he did not know why -evyone spoke ili of him.

bveyda said in an interview wit a journalist who visited - xiii Monday he was disilluioid that a liftime's service i country had landed him

F was Iran's prime minis-er or nearly 13 years until he han dismissed him last lugt, blamed by the oppo-itio for causing much of the issusfaction which has fuel-

In ondon Monday, former uda-se Prime Minister Saik AMahdi said he had met yaxah Khomeini in Paris ist until to express his supNumeric, returned to join his government in 1977 under a presidential amnesty but resigped in October last year.

Mahdi, who once tried to overthrow President Jaafar Mandi said he met the Aya-

rollah, the Shah's main reli-

gious opponent, on Dec. 22, "I expressed solidarity with the Iranian revolution whose aim we take to be the revival of Islam in a modern context .. to end the noboly alliance of Iran, Israel and South Af-

and tragic" that the Arab world was so indifferent to the Iranian struggle and said Iran would end its friendship with Israel if the movement succee-

He said the Ayatoliah bad appealed for support from the He said it was "scandalous . Muslim and Arab world.

Television program said contempt

Torture charges anger Bhutto court

RAWALPINDI, Jan. 9 (R) - A legal row has blown up over an alleged attempt by Pakistan's state-run television. to prejudice ex-Premier Zulfikar Ali Bhutto's fight against

the death sentence. The Supreme Count - now close to a verdict on Bhutto's appeal against execution -Attorney-Generat

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Sharifuddin Pirzada to appear next week to answer charges that a documentary attacking the former leader was in contempt of court.

The program, called "Tales of Tyranny" showed Bhintto opponents telling of atrocities and torture during their illegal detention in a concentration camp set up under his re-

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Bhutto supporters immediately attacked the film as character assassination and an attempt to influence public opinion before the Supreme

> the end of the month. Bhutto 51, is under sentence of death for ordering the murder of a political enemy. He was also accused last year of illegally detaining opponents at the concentration

Court's judgement, expected at

camp, at Dulai in Kashinir. The documentary, shown last Thursday, was the first in

Peking, Djibouti set up ties

TOKYO, Jan. 9 (AP)— China and Djibooti have established diplomatic relations and will exchange ambassadors as soon as possible, China's official Hsinhua news agency reported Tuesday.

Hsinhua said agreement was reached in Paris last Friday between Chinese Ambassador Han Ke-hua and Djibouti Am-bassador Ahmad Ibrahim Ab-

Iraqi president confers with 2 Palestine leaders

BAGHDAD, Jan. 9 (UPI)— Iraqi President Ahmed Hassan al Bakr Tuesday met separately with the leaders of the Popular Pront for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) and the Palestine Liberation Front (PLF), the Iraqi news agency (INA) said.

The meetings with the PFLP leader George Habash, and the PLF leader Abul Abbas, dealt with the latest developments in the Middle East, and the Syrian-Iraqi agreement of last October that proposed an eventual union between the two countries and its reflections on the Palestinian

The Iraqi agency later re-ported that North Yemeni Chief of Staff Lt. Col. Ali Sheebah left Baghdad after a visit during which be attended the country's Army Day.

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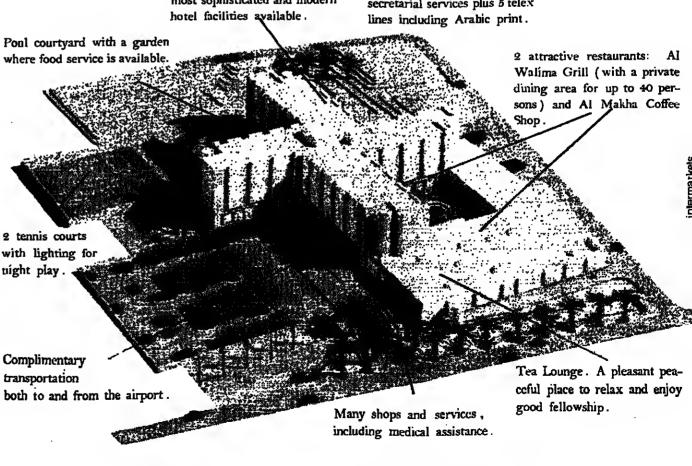
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After reunification with mainland

Taiwan can keep its army, Teng says

PEKING, Jan. 9 (AP) — Senior Vice-Premier Teng Hsiao-ping told Americao senators Tuesday China would oot require Taiwan to disarm and that it could maintain its seenrity forces after reunification with the mainland, according to senators who attended

He told a Senate task force on Pacific military matters headed by Sen. Sam Nunn that China also favored an expanded American naval presence in the western Pacific, strengthening of the Japanese Self-Defense Forces and the possitility of defense cooperation by members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations to meet the threat of growing Soviet military strength in the Far East.

During the two-hour meeting. Teng, who is also armed forces chief of staff, said the United States should be willing to talk to North Korea and that North Korea would be willing to talk to the South Korean government as long as opposition parties were inclu-

CHICAGO, Jan. 9 (R)

The prosecution says it will

seek the electric chair for

John Gacy, accused of seven

murdens and suspected of kill-

Minois State's Attorney

Bernard Carey said Monday

he would ask for the death

sentence if 36-year-old Gacy

were convicted of mutiple

Carey announced that Gazy,

who had already spent 18

months in jail for assault, had

been indicted by a grand jury

on charges of mordering seven

youths of between 15 and 20.

is expected to hand down

more murder indictments later

this week against Gacy, a

twice-divorced Chicago build-

Gacy told police when ar-

Police uncovered one of the biggest mass murders io American history when they dug

up 27 bodies at Gacy's subur-

ban bungalow last month.

Several of the corpses had

Gacy said he dumped the

five other victims in the Des

Plains, River, according to

police. But only two bodies

have been fished out so far.

ropes around their necks.

rested that he had strangled

ing contractor,

32 young men.

The 23-member grand jury

ing 32 young men.

murder.



Teng Hsiao-ping

Nunn told reporters after-ward he regarded the offer to let Taiwan maintain its armed forces as well as its social and economic way of life as "very important." He said the U.S. Liaisoo Office people here said it marked a considerable advance from past Chi-

Nunn said Teng told the se-

Prosecution to demand death

in Gacy mass murder trial

assist the Pol Pot regime and Cambodian forces in Cambodia and that China does not regard the fall of Phnom Penh "the cool of the struggle."

But Sen. Gary Hart (D. Colo.) said it was his strong impression that the fate of the fallen Cambodian regime was not a matter of ultimate crucial importance" to China and its well being. He said Teng and other Chinese committee had talked to had expressed concern but were pragmatic and did not "regard it as the end of the world."

Teng told the senators he thad already sent what he described as several reasonable messages to Taiwanese leaders that daid ook say if he had had

a reply. Teng realitimed China's po-tioy "to seek a peaceful reunification of Taiwan and Chi-Nano said, but the possibility of the use of force was not renounced on grounds that it "would reduce the prospects for Taiwan entering into serious oegotiations.

Teng said the circumstances

Tight security will be in

force. The authorities failed to

produce Gacy for his last

scheduled court appearance

Dec. 29 because of fears for

switched since then from a

arburbao Des Plaines court-

room which doubles as a local council chamber to the main

criminal court oext to the pri-

held in ao isolation cell.

son hospital, where Gacy is

Carey said he would oppose

any attempt by Gacy's lawyer

to have the trial moved out

Defense lawyer Sam. Ami-

rante has already said it would

be practically impossible for

Gacy to get a fair trial be-

cause of prejudicial publicity.

But Carey said he thought an

venue has been

his safety. But the

enter into negotiations and an attempt by the Soviet Union to inerfere in Taiwanese af-

This later possibility, Numo said, "was regarded as highly unlikely.

Nume added that the senators got the impression that. China's overriding desire is to settle the Taiwan problem peacefully and that force was something remote to their thinking for some time to come.

It was Teng's first meeting with American senators since normalization went unto effect New Year's Day.

He was also quoted as saying that the moves toward democracy represented by the wall poster campaign in Peking could continue in China for generations without restric-

"However," Teng said, "China does not believe that discussions among nations of their respective human rights are

Sen. William Cohen (R-Maine), said he saw problems in Congress over the Chinese attitude when legislation comes up proposing favorable trade concessions which call for the observance of human rights.

Nunn said there were different attitudes in different countries toward this problem and that not all agree with Presi-

dent Carter's policy.
"It is one of the facts of life and we are not going to abnogate the program." Nuno

Hart expressed his "personal amazement" at the jocrease in wall poster candor and discussions about democracy in the streets compared with a pre-

vious visit two years ago. On the subject of Soviet military power, Nunn said, "specific concern was expressed" and that Teng noted the buildup posed a threat to China but an even greater threat to Japan and the United States.

But Nuon said that China does not regard Soviet ground forces in the Far East as large enough to undertake what Nunn called "a massive, deci-eive invasion of China." He said that Teng indicated the principle focus of Soviet military power lies io Europe and the Middle East.



Letelier case jury selection begins

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP) - With bomb-sniffing dogs patrolling the federal courthouse, jury selection begao Tuesday io the trial of three anti-Castro Cubans accused io the assassination of former Chilean diplomat Orlando Letelier.

John Gacy

Gacy, regarded by his neigh-

bors as a congenial, hard-wor-

king and soft-hearted man

who liked it give parties and

dress up as a clown, is due

court Wednesday.

Before selection of 12 jurors and six alternates got underway, lawyers were prepared to argue motions to suppress evidence seized by the FBI from a building leased by the defen-

The extraordinary security. which includes metal detectors.

an x-ray machine and briefcase searches, was imposed by U.S. marshals after death threats to the judge and prosecutors, officials say.

Letelier, ambassador to the United States from 1971 through 1973, was killed io Washington Sept. 21, 1976, when a remote-control homb exploded in his car. The blast also killed Ronni Moffitt, a co-worker, also in the car as it moved around a traffic circle lined with embassics.

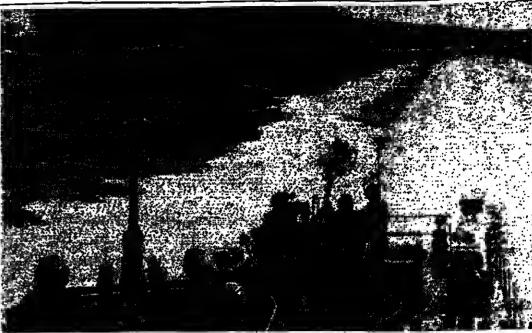
Letelier served the leftist Chilean regime of Salvadore Allende, who was killed in a 1973 military coup. When killed at age 44, Letelier was an internationally known critic of the military junta that succeeded Allende. He was workiog at a left-wing research institute io Washington

WHO retreats on smallpox virus safety

GENEVA, Jan. 9 (R) The World Health Organization has qualified its report last week that five of the world's 10 laboratories holding smallpox viruses fell short of WHO safety recommendations.

Although the five did not fulfil the stringent WHO safety code, their security measures might neverineless be of a high

two of the 10 labs stored the state and did not actively use



CHANNEL PATROL: Na val vessels patrol the Becgle Channel off the south South America, the area disputed between Argentina and Chile. The threat of war, between the two states over territorial rights appears to have receded after they agreed Monday night to submit to mediation.

Submitting to mediation

Argentina, Chile war averted

MONTEVIDEO, Jan. 9 (AP) - Argentina and Chile agreed Monday night to withdraw troops and battle fleets from their 2.600-mile border and submit their conflict over islands and maritime rights at the tip of the cootinent to Vatican

The agreement, achieved through two weeks of shuttle diplomacy by Vatican diplomat Antonio Cardinal Samore, was signed here by foreign ministers Carlos Pastor of Argentina and Hernan Cubillos of Chile in their first meeting since direct

talks broke off Dec. 12. The two military regimes had strengthened patrols oo Andean mountain passes and sent warships to the cold southern waters after Argentina rejected a May 1977 British arbitration ruling that awarded three of the disputed islands to Chile-

Diplomats credited Samore, a 73-year-old expert oo Latin America, with averting armed conflict by finding a basis for mediation. He arrived in Argentina Dec. 26 and made four with officials of both govern-

trips across the Andes, meeting rel and proposes solutions.

At issue are ownership of They agreed to refrain from 10 desolate islands, dozens of using armed force and to "make tiny islets, 48,000 square miles a gradual return to the military of Atlaotic Ocean off their situation existing at the begin-shores, the rich fish resources niog of 1977" while the Vati- io those waters and overlapcan studies both countries' posi- ping claims io Antarctica to tions on the century-old quar- the south

No lead in Irish tanker explosion

(Agencies) - The Gulf Oil Co. Tuesday denied all reponsibility for the explosion which ripped through the French tanker Beteigeuse in Bantry Bay Monday, killing

50 persons.
An official for Gulf Oil's subsidiary in Ireland, operators of the storage terminal where the tanker exploded, said that the company will cooperate with Irish government efforts to find out why it went up.
"It was not our vessel and it was oot our oil, But it was our terminal. It's somebody else's responsibility, but we are dealing with the situation that exists here. Right oow we're cleaning up the mess," the official said

Firemen finally extinguished the last of the fires which had raged through the night in the hulk of the 121,430 ton tanker at noon Tuesday, Gulf said 20 bodies had been recovered from the wreckage and the

Huey Fong refugees organize for long wait off Hong Kong

HONG KONG, Jan. 9 (AP) Kong Dec. 23 because its oexi - Some 3,000 Vietnamese refugees on the Huey Fong, a battered Taiwanese freighter just outside Hong Kong, have organized ioto groups to impose discipline, prevent the spread of disease and supervise food rationing, a refugee representative reported Tues-

day.
It looks like we are going to stay here for a while. We may as well get ourselves organized," Chou Hsien-mo said by radioteleohoue.

The 2,290-too ship was denied permission to enter Hong

port of call was Knohsung in Taiwao and not the colony, it has been anothered about 1.5 kelometers off Hong Kong io international waters.

Chou said the emergency medical unit treated more than 300 sick refugees Tuesday alone. "Most of them are enderly people and children sufforing from colds, diarrhea stomach ailments," he and

He said medical facilities on board are inadequate but do give patients temporary relief. The Hong Kong governmen.

plies including 500 diarrhea tablets, 20 gallons of disinfec-tant and 300 cakes of antiseptic soap were airlifted to the

Commeoting oo the general health condition of the refugees, Chou said, "what do you expect? We have been as sea for more than 20 days and more than 80 per cent of us are in very weak condition."

Ohou said that despite the food supplied by the Hong Kong authorities, the refuges subsist mostly on biscuits and

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Madrid judge gunned down; killers disappear in traffic

- Tenrorists stepped out of a bus stop crowd and shot dead a Spanish supreme court indee Tuesday as he approached his official car.

The slaying of Miguel Cruz Cuenca, 67, was apparently the sixth political kelling to Spain this year.

Witnesses said two gunmen fired pistols at the judge, then ran through traffic to a grateway car on another street.

Brezhnev may lobby senators for SALT

MOSCOW, Jan. 9 (UPI) — A group of U.S. Senate Re-publicans will meet with President Leonid Brezhnev Wedmesday for discussions that almost certainly wall include the strategic arms limitation talks. The delegation, headed by

Senate Minority Leader Howard Baker of Tennessee arrived in Moscow Monday. Two members of the group, Baker and Sen, John C. Danforth of Missouri, toured a Soviet truck plant Tuesday.

They watched workers mount flathead, six-cylinder engines onto trucks in what Baker called a "good-looking production line.

The official reason for the senators' visit was in response to an invitation by the Supreme Soviet, the country's parbament.

The group includes Sens. John Tower of Texas, Jake Garn of Utah, S.I. Hayakawa of California and Molcolm Wallop of Wyoming.

The new SALT treaty is expected to be completed this year and will then go to the Senate for consideration.

Baker said the Republicans wanted to collect information for what appears almost certainly a heated debate.

The killers wore parakas like those worn last week by the killers of Madrid's military governor, immediately suggesting another attack by Basque separatists seeking to provoke army intervention against

Spain's civilian government. Cruz, 67, died instantly, potice said, a few meters from the entrance to his aparament on a busy Madrid street. His wife came upon his bo-

Sen. Howard Baker

Baker said the Senate should

The session with Brezhnev

have the maximum amount

of information" for the de-

will be an opportunity for the

Soviets, who are anxious to

conclude a SALT treaty, to

lobby the republicans on SALT.

Strategic arms talks were al-

visit by 12 senators last year

in a bipartisao delegation nea-

ded by Connecticut Democrat.

Abraham Ribicoff.

the subject of a similar

the Sixth Chamber of the Suprome Court since last February. Associates said he was not active politically. Police said the killing bore

a marked resemblance to last Wednesday's marder of Maj. Gen. Constantino Orun Gil, the Madrid military governor. The Basque separatist organization EIA said it killed Gen. Ortin Gil and the other four people murdered since jan, 2. In Tuesday's assassma-

It was the second kiding of

a jurist in less than two mon-

the and came amidst calls by

right-wingers and some mili-

tary officers for a military

takeover to stop the bloodsh-

Cruz had been president of

exactly the same sort of white car to make their escape as in last Wednesday's shooting. King Juan Carlos was informed immediately of the killing but stuck to his schedule to address officers at a new army training school in the capital.

tion, two young gunmen used

Police said four empty pistol shells were found near the judge's body.
Police reinforced road blocks which have been there since last Wedoesday as part of the hunt for the killers of the Madrid military governor.

Judge Cruz was slain at 10:15 a.m., the hour he normaily departed for his office in the justice ministry. ETA has made a trademark of killing police, government officials and military men who

follow a regular pattern of leaving or arriving home. The organization's initials in the Basque language stand for Basque Land and Liberty.

The latest shooting poses fresh problems for the government of Prime Minister Adolfo Suarez, which is trying to goide newly democratic Spain peacefully towards general elections next March 1.



MURDER SCENE: The place where Judge Mignel Cruz Cuenca was murdered in Madrid is covered with

Microphones stay on for Rome radio raid

shock.

ROME, Jan. 9 (Agencies) -Masked gunmen burst into a radeo station here Tuesday, wounded two employees and set the studio alight with gas bombs, police said.

Listeners to Radio Future City - a privately-owned station with an extreme left-wing policy - beard the presenter break off to shout "help, help, they are killing us all." There was then an explo-

Police said three or four men broke into the studios. They fired shots from pistols and a machinegun, wounding two female employees, and

then tossed petrol bombs Hospital sources said one of the women was wounded in the chest and was in a serious condition. Three other people were also taken to hospital suffering from burns or

Firemen extinguished the blaze but Radio Future City, one of many private transmiters which have sprung up in Italy in recent years, stayed off the

Roadblocks were thrown up around the area and police later reported finding the car used by the gunmen abandon-

Rhodesia burned village houses

SALISBURY, Jan. 9 (UPI)-In the first admission of its kind, Rhodesia has said its troops - using far-reaching martial law powers - have burned down the homes of rural hlacks who had given shelter to black insurgents.

The admission came in a communique issued Monday amid what sources described as a mounting cycle of violence which has significantly heightened the suffering of rural blacks.

The communique said troops Operating in a urihal trust land in eastern Rhodesia first moved from their homes black civilians who had harbored guerrillas and, as a result, had been ordered to move voluntarily a month ago.

Then, "nuder the powers conferred by martial law, security forces destroyed a large number of their buts to prevent re-occupation," the communique said

It said one building set alight by troops housed guerrilla explosives which blew up, demolishing the structure.

In the eastern border town of Umtali, residents said Monday they saw Hawker Hunter fighter-bombers streak into neighboring Mozambique where shousands of black Rhodesian insurgents enjoy sanctuary, on anti-guerrilla operations.

On Rhodesian soil, troops have killed 41 guerrillas io clashes that claimed the lives of two black civilians and two Rhodesian servicemen, the communique said, adding insurgents have murdered four black civi-

Daring bid frees wrong prisoners

RIO DE JANIERO, Jan. 9 (AP) - A daring attempt to free three American women jailed on drug charges failed Monday when the would-be rescuers escaped with the wrong prisoners, authorities reported. The three women were among seven North Americans arrested last month on charges of possessing more than 38 pounds of cocaine.

Alleged leader of OAS dies

PARIS, Jan. 9 (R) - A French general once jailed on suspicion of leading an extremist group opposed to Algerian independence has died in a Paris hospital, his family has said. Gen. Paul Vanuxem. 74, who served in France's colonial army in Algeria and Indochina, was jailed for two years in 1961 when he was accused of being the leader of the French OAS (Secret Army Organization), a group which fought to keep Algeria under French control.

Trial of ex-FBI chief adjourned

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (R) - A federal judge has ordered a six-week postponement of the trial of Patrick Gray. former director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and two other former top FBI officials. The trial was to have begun Jan. 22. The new date is March 5

2 Croatians face new trial in U.S.

CHICAGO, Jao. 9 (AP) - A new trial was ordered Monday for two Croatian nationalists who had been convicted on charges of holding an official hostage during a siege of the West German consulate in Chicago last summer

Italian oil tycoon kidnapped

MILAN, Italy, Jan. 9 (AP) - A 59-year-old wealthy off dealer was kidnapped by four armed bandits Monday evening. Police said Dicm Armani, former vice president of the Milan Soccer Club and a senior partner of the Armani Bros Petroleum Products Co., was seized a few blocks from his office.

Naga raids leave 15,000 homeless

NEW DELHI, Jan. 9 (AP) — Nearly 15,000 people have fled their homes and taken refuge in government camps following a series of attacks by underground separatist Naga tribesmen on villages in northeast India, the United News of India reported Monday, quoting police.

Charlie Mingus dies; was jazz bass great

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9 (AP) — Jazz bassist Oharles Mingus has died in Mexico from what his family said was a degenerative muscular condition called Amyotroppic Lateral Schrosis. He was 56.

Although details were still incomplete, Mingus' chitdhood friend and colleague, saxophonist Buddy Collette, said Monday that Mingue apparently died Friday in Cuernavaca, Mexico. Collette send Mingus' body was cremated Saturday and a memorial service was being planned in Los Angeles.

Mingus, who was bore in Nogales, Arizona, and was raised in Los Angeles, began studying bass with Red Callendar at the age of 16 and went on to study under Louis Arms-

the 1940s. in the 1950s, Mingus became internationally famous. Between 1963 and 1966, he annually won "Down Beat" magazine's poli for his music.

His published an autobiography in 1971, "Beneath The Underdog."

Ten years ago, Mingus went into semi-retirement because of

ili health, although he toured Europe briefly in 1972 and combinued to work spondical-ity in New York jazz clubs. His last public appearance was at the White House Jazz Festival last June.

Mingus went to Mexico about five months, ago, accompanied by his wife and one of his three sons, to seek medical help, Collette said.

Nairobi told not to panic about plague

NAIROBL Jan. 9 (AP) Health authorities here said Tuesday there was no cause for alarm despite an outbreak of plague 22 kilometers from A local newspape time city. reported Tuesday that a temporany clinic had been set up following the outbreak of the disease. A number of patients were being treated, but the paper said the doctor in charge of the clinic had declined to confirm reports that at least three persons had died following the outbreak of the disease last week.



An American aircraft carrier

Defense budget nears completion

's hopes for carrier Carter sinking Navy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (Agencies) — The Navy is making an 11th-hour effort to change President Jimmy Curter's mind on the kind of aircraft carrier he will recommend to Congress, administration sources report. With Carter's fiscal 1980 defense hudget just about ready

for Congress, the Navy effort has reached all the way to the Caribbean Island of Guadeloupe, where the president was reported in seclusion after the "supshine summit" with allied In the budget, officials said, Carter will also seek about

\$1 billion later this month for new intercontinental missiles that can he moved among launch sites in case of a Soviet attack, Pentagon officials said Monday. Officials said Carter would ask \$270 million for the new MX missile in a supplemental appropriation bill for this year

and close to \$720 million in his 1980 budget.

The Pentagon hopes to decide both questions around In the carrier controversy, Carter is said to have decided to propose construction of a new type of oil-burning carrier

caued the CVV, which would cost about \$143 million less than the bigger ship the Navy favors.

Backed by Pentagnn leaders, the Navy earlier recommended-construction of an additional Kennedy-class carrier, which it claims would be more "combat capable" than the CVV because it carries more and a greater variety of warplanes.

A Kennedy-class carrier would cost about \$1.7 billion and its backers contend it is worth what one official called its Defesse Secretary Harold Brown is now said to prefer.

the Kennedy-class ship over the CVV. The CVV would have to be designed from the keel up and, opponents say, might take longer to complete than a ship based on the design of the 10-year-old John F. Kennedy, youngest of

the Navy's conventional carriers. The 8,000-ton Kennedy carries about 95 planes and has four catapults for launching them from its flight deck. The CVV would displace up to about 60,000 tons and carry about 65 planes, with only two launching catapults.

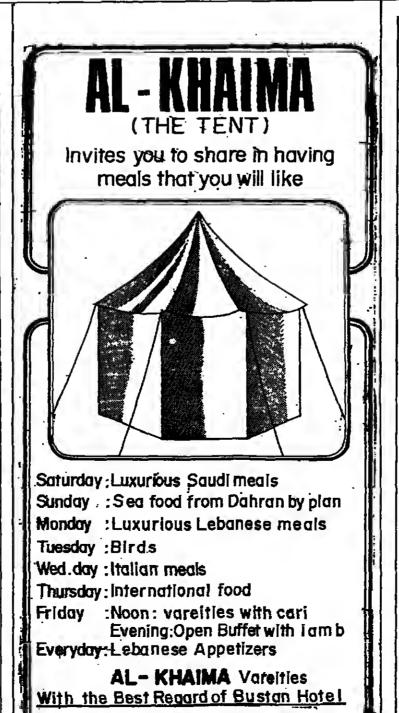
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REGIONAL CHANGES

This week, the government of Dr. Shahpour Bakhtiar undergoes its first-and maybe last-test. The once-opposition leader has already been expelled by his National Front for accepting the task of forming a government. Extremists in the opposition are already labelling him an "American lackey" and demanding his ouster. He has answered calls for more marches and demonstrations against the Shah hy calling a march himself in mourning of the dead. But in the end, he may find himself squeezed between extremists on both sides: Army generals who have already resigned in protest and the followers of exiled religious leader Ayatollah Khomeini who will settle for nothing less than a change of regime.

The only hreathing space that the prime minister has at the moment is that provided by the split in opposition ranks between followers of the exiled Khomeini and the less radical leaders inside the country. Observers have noted with interest that while Khomeini continues to call for the overthrow of the Shah, the powerful religious leaders inside the country have taken a more moderate role with Ayatoliah Ahriatmadari merely warning Dr. Bakhtiar that the opposition will not be satisfied by a mere lifting of censorship and dissolution

of the hated Savak. Unless the differences among opposition leaders lead to circei violence the prime minister may be also able to use the imminent departure of the Shah for rest and medical treatment to further defuse the situation. The Shah and the prime minister have indicated that the monarch plans to leave for a while so this question is settled. What is not settled is the duration of his foreign trip and whether he will return at all. Sources close to the prime minister do not rule out an extended foreign stay by the Shah hut they would not, for obvious reasons, want to be quoted as hinting that the Shah

may not return. Whatever happens, basic changes in Iranian policies are expected. The Shah will have to give up any ambitions he might have had outside his own horders. The Gulf states in particular, which have often looked askance at the Shah's designs, will have nothing to worry about any more, not even if the opposition takes over. The opposition is bound to dissociate itself from the various aspects of the Shah's policies. including foreign ambitions because it has always accused the Shah of ignoring the needs of the country while pursuing grandiose regional designs. At the same time, the Shah or his successors will have to adopt a more defined position in support of Arab rights and against Israel. It has been a war cry of the marchers in Tehran to support the Palestinians so the Shah will have to take that into account or a victorious opposition will incorporate this line in its own policies.

What is less clear at the moment is how the Iranian roubles will influence the Egyptian-Israeli peace talks. The general design must have been for a strong Egypto-Israeli hice on one side and a powerful Iran on the other to keep all peoples and states in the region in harness. The weakening of the Iranian base must be forcing the creators of the peace talks to think again. They may not necessarily change the whole concept but rather introduce sweeping modifications and alietations to take the changing conditions into account.

Soviets in the Gulf

GOSIER, Guadeloupe In two days of summit talks here, the leaders of the United States. France, Britain and West Germany mapped ways to check the creeping advance of the Soviet Union toward

the Gulf.
General agreement emerged that the balance of world power could be transformed if Moscow's forward policy gives it dominance in the huge intercontinental triangle between Turkey, Afghanistan and Ethjepia.

Nearly half the noncommunist world's oil comes from this region. There is a recognition by the heads of government, based on pooled intelligence estimates, that the Soviets in the 1980 will directly need access to the same fuel sources.

Before leaving Guadeloupe for a 24-hour visit to Barbados Monday, British Prime Minister James Callaghan told reporters that he and the other three leaders - U.S. President Jimmy Carter, French President Valery Giscard d'Estaine. and West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt - focussed in some depth on the world's fiashpoint areas, including Iran, Turkey, Afghanistan. Pakistan and Africa.

Callaghan would not publicly discuse the outcome of the talks that ended Saturday beyond saying results would be observed in time in individual situations and international

However, senior authorities, who declined to be identified even by nationality, said that the four leaders reached several shared but somber conclu-

sions.
Among the conclusions reached at the summit as reported hy the informants:

- Coups in Afghanistan and South Yemen that set up pro-Soviet regimes last year put Moscow in a position to press its interests in post-revolutionary Iran. - Iran, even without the

Shah, likely will remain unstable for some time to come.

— The once-steady state of Pakistan, beset with political and tribal turmoil internally and now facing border-crossing Afghan assaults, is in danger of disentegrating. Similar upheavals could engulf India.

- Turkey is gripped by troubles ranging from economical and political to mob violence between hostile religious sects that have brought back martial law to several of the country's 67 provinces.

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Trade with Taiwan

TAIPEI

Ying-tsung, 28, makes \$2,300 a year as an assembly-line worker at the Ford Lio Ho Motor Co. plant near here. His wife, who works in a computer parts factory, is paid \$1,700 a year.

Akthough they and their

three children must with his parents and cannot afford a motorbike, let alone a car, they dards. They have a refrigerator, world, evidence of the people's a hlack-and-white television set and high aspirations.

The Chuangs - and millions of others like them are a major reason why the economy of Taiwan is booming, and will probably continue to boom, despite its growing smaller, European-style Fords diplomatic isolation. They symbolize a relatively low labor cost and high productivity from a stable work force.

It is not that Chuang was unaffected by the announcement Dec. 15 of President Carter's decision to grant U.S. recognition to the Peking government of the People's Republic of China and renounce the defense treaty with the Republic of China on Taiwan.

"I was very angry." Chuang told a reporter. Joining with fellow workers at Ford, he donated \$8.34 to a national drive to bolster defense of the island against any possible threat from the Communist main-

But it is the contribution of his labor to Taiwan's economic strength that may have more significance in the long

Former U.S. Ambassador

wan bas no oil, little coal, limited farmland and virtually no mineral resources.

What it does have is tremendous human resources intelligent people who are ableand willing to work," Unger

A spokesman at the Ford plant where Chuang works -- a facility that is 70 per cent U.S.-owned - said the plant ranks eighth in productivity among all Ford plants in the efficiency and willingness to work.

Chuang, a college graduate with a degree in physical edncation, works on the final trim line in the grimy, 6-year-old building. He puts in a 5-day, 45-hour week working on the produced here.

Taiwan, under the strong control of the Nationalist Party for the last 30 years, has performed a minor economic miracle in the last decade. It has become the second-richest nation in Asia, trailing only Japan, and has joined the ranks of such countries as Mexico and Brazil in the world economic-growth derby.

There is little doubt about Taiwan's ability to prosper into the foreseeable future. The statistics paint a glow

ing picture: Taiwan's economy expanded 13 per cent last year. after adjusting for inflation of less than 7 per cent. The unemployment rate is down to a rock-bottom 2.5 per cent while exports zoomed 40 per cent this year to a record \$12.5 billion. Taiwan's credit rating

Despite an outsized military Leonard Unger noted that Tai- force of nearly 500,000 in a nation of 17 million, Tarwan runs a budget surplus and has piled up foreign exchange reserves of more than \$6 million because of its go-go trade poli-

U.S. officials here credit the government with good manaefficient use of investment incentives to lure foreign capi-

addition, Taiwan bas spent ballions of dohars new roads, power plants, ports and railroad expansion. economic surge has taken place while the Republic of China has suffered stinging defeats on the diplomatic front. Twentytwo nations now recognize the regime on Taiwan, and the U.S. decision to break relations may lead some of them to do

Despite this trend, however, Taiwan has trading relations with 140 countries. Of these, the United States and Japan account for more than half of all foreign trade with Taiwan.

Tarwan will continue to be a small hoat on the ocean of the world economy, extraordinarily sensitive to the vicinsitudes in the economies of its two leading trading partners, the U.S. Embassy concluded before its departure.

A decline in the U.S. economy, widely predicted for 1979, might have greater impact on Taiwan's trade and investment than Carter's decision to snap diplomatic ties with the longtime U.S. ally.

Since Japan ended formal relations with the Taipei regime in 1972, its annual trade with Taiwan has nearly quadrupled.—(LAT)

More negotiations

By John M. Goshko WASHINGTON —

Despite U.S. denials that any decisions have been made, the diplomatic signs last week began pointing toward the Egyptian-Israeli peace talks resuming here shortly under the mediation of Secretary of State Cyrus Vance.

That impression emerged from days of confusing signals that included an Israeli diplomat's speculation about new taiks in mid-January, a U.S. retors that such predictions were "jumping the gun" and an Egyptian call for Vance to decide the next step in getting the deadlocked negotiations moving again.

But, after sifting these contradictory developments, many diplomatic sources predicted that the Carter administration - if it wants to break the impasse — will have no choice other than to seize on the tentative willingness of the two sides to start talking again and schedule a new round of Washington negotiations.

Such a course would involve considerable risks, the sources noted, since neither Israel nor Egypt currently seems willing to modify the two major opposing demands that caused the peace talks to hreak down during Vance's Middle East shuttle mission last month.

However, the sources added. Washington's much-advertised fear of an erosion of support for a peace treaty in the two countries would appear to make a quick resumption of

negotiations imperative. In addition, the sources said, for the talks to be effective, they would have to be conducted at the level of foreign minister and defense minister. That, in turn, would require Vance to resume his role as mediator and, for that reason,

the sources said Washington would have to he the locale for

any new negotiations. This deductive scenario was first revealed hy an Israeli deplomat at a meeting with reporters. The diplomat, who asked not to be identified, noted that both sides appeared willing to resume negotiations and added: "We assume it will he here in mid-month because of Mr.

Vance's calendar." Reports of the diplomat's remarks drew a quick and emphatic reply from the State Department spokesman, Hodding Carter. He charged the diplomat with "jumping the gun" and, while conceding that the administration would like to see the talks resumed, Carter stressed, "There is no time set, there is no meeting set."

U.S. sources said privately that Carter's vehement retort was prompted, in part, by the fact that Egypt had not yet replied to U.S. suggestions about resuming the talks. As a result, the sources said, the State Department did not want to give Egypt the impression that Washington had decided on a specific course and that the Israelis had special knowledge of it.

In addition, the sources added, the United States is troubled by the fact that neither side seems willing to make significant concessions and wants to explore further the possibility of their giving some ground before scheduling new negotia-

Carter referred to that problem by saying: "The first thing you want to know is feasible to do, and for that, you have to have something hack from the parties themselves How you do it, when you do it, where you do it, are matters which we are trying to work. out with the parties. It hasn't

Later, though the Egyptian cabinet concluded a six-hour meeting hy announcing it is prepared to resume "efforts" toward a peace treaty. In announcing the decision, Prime Minister Mustapha Khalil said Egypt's position would be conveyed to Vance and added it then would be up to Vance to decide how to get contact between the two countries resum-

Khalil suggested the possibility of a new meeting between himself and Vance and possibly also Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan, However, he also said the renewed peace effort could include direct Egyptian-Israeli negotiations "at a later stage."

In stating their position, the Egyptians reiterated their demand for a timetable linking the proposed treaty to separate negotiations on establishing Palestinian autonomy in the Israeli-occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip. The cahinet also insisted anew that any peace treaty with Israel must not supersede Egypt's defense treaties with other Arab states.

These are the principal issues that have caused the impasse in the negotiations. Israel, while saying it is willing to negotiate on Palestinian autonomy, has refused to accept a timetable and has insisted on a clear understanding that the peace treaty take precedence over Egypt's other obligations.

However, despite the con-tinuing gulf between the two, diplomatic sources here gene-rally interpreted the Egyptian statement as signalling a willingness to resume the talks and concluded that the United States, after reviewing its options, will have no choice hut to seek a new round of negotiations in Washington.—(WP)

Ambush in Lahore

By Peter Niesewami RAWALPINDI, Pakistan —

There is a roundabout in Lahore called Shadman-Shan Jamas where the central island is surrounded by a shoulder-high hedge. Men armed with submachine guns lay in weit there on the night of Nov. 10, 1974, while less than a 100 meters away, a wedding party was in:

mad Raza Kasuri, a founder member of the Pakistan People's Party who some years ago had fallen out with then prine Mioister Zultikar Ali Bhut-

ped telephone, and police spies the lobbies and the cafetaria of the National Assembly.

suri: "You keep quiet. I have bad enough of you. Absolute poison. I will not tolerate your

In November, 1974, Kasuri's

tuck was still holding. He left the wedding, just after mid-night: his father in the front passenger seat beside him, his mother and an aunt in the As they reached the ambush

point, the car was only just

One of the guests was Ah-

Kasuni accused Bhutto of being power bungry and ambitious. He spoke of a "terrorized parliament," and compared conditions in Pakistan to those of Hitler's Germany, with witchrhunts, arrests, tapistening in on conversations in

At one point, in an assemb-ty debate, Bhutto raged at Ka-

Kasuri felt himself physically threatened, and indeed he was. The question the Supreme Court of Pakistan must aow decide is: By whom? Even before the ambush at the roundabout, there had been two attacks on Kasuri. Someone opened fire on him in 1972. in the town of Kasur. Two years later, others shot at him with automatic weapons in the capital of Islamabad, On both occasions he escaped unburt.

in second gear, and the gunmen opened fire, hitting the bodywork and damaging the dynamo. The car's light went out. There were repeated bursts of automatic fire, as Kasuri accelerated away. He looked into the driving mirror, but no one was following. Kasuri noticed that his father shoulder. He reached over to

> From the back, his mother said: "Son, you have to know about your fathers injuries now, but his blood is already in my feet."

> touch his father, and his hand'

came away covered with

This much is common caure in the Bhutto case. Almost every aspect of the rest of the affair is bitterly contested. The prosecution alleges that a total of seven men were involved in the conspiracy to kill Kasuri, but two were granted pardons in exchange for their testimony against Bhutto, and they have become what Pakistani law calls "approvers." One of them, Masood Mehmood, used to be director-general of the Federal Security Force, and the other, Ghulam Hussain, was an FSF

Mehmood is the only man to allege a direct connection with Bhutto. He says the then prime minister ordered him to see Kasoni was killed.

When General Zia Ul-Haq overtirew Birutto's government last year, Masood Mehmood

ter 40 days in military custo-dy, he wrote to Zia offering to make a clean breast of the Kasuri affair, and ten days later, he made a confession.

was immediately detained. Af-

Last month in the supreme court, Bhutto's defense counsel, Yahya Bakhtiar, said serious doubt must be cast on the voluntary nature of such a confession.

What inducements have been given to him?" Bakhtiar "Astonishing enough, this self-confessed conspirator to murder is still ly under 'suspension' until the decision of this case. '

The other major character in the drama is Mian Muhammad Abbas, formerly director of operations and intelligence in the FSP. Abbas initially made a confession, implicating Masood Metamood and others, but not implicating Bhutto. In the Lahore high court he retracted the confession, saying it had been obtained through

Several months later, Abbas sent a letter from his death cell to the court saying that, as he was going to meet his. maker soon, he wanted to reinstate his confession, and he asked the court for mercy. The Bhutto team suspect that he was pressured or bribed to change his mind

The Bhutto appeal has 'las-

ted several months. It is likely to take the judges another few weeks to sift through the claims and counter claims, and write a judgment which itself will be scrutinized more closely than any they have delivered in their careers so far. -(G)

saudi press review

"Al-Medina" said that the current Gulf commerce ministers' conference "is an important landmark on the way to further cooperation in the region which would stand it in good stead in relation with other countries and economic blocs."

"The most important topic for discussion would be a review of prices charged by exporters and international companies which many Gulf countries believe are discriminatory." The paper said: "It is obvious that these companies charge more for goods and services exported to the Gulf than to other developing or developed countries. They are charging us exorbitant prices while we sell them our oil products at low rates because we are deeply concerned for the viability of their economic

systems," the paper said. "We hope that the conference will take the necessary steps to protect our trade from

such exploitation."
"Al-Blad" and "Okaz" co.... mented on Prince Pahd's instructions to the council of ministers to control expenditure and prevent extravagance.

"Al-Bilad" said "it is neces sary to put an end to inflated prices which are deliberately charged hy foreign companies for goods and services supplied to us.'

The paper also welcomed Prince Fahd's declaration of support for Saudi contractors and manufacturers and his advice to the government to give them priority over others in the execution of government con-

ious aspects of cooperation in the Gullf in the light of the current Gulf commerce ministers' conference. It said that a system of commercial cooperation among the states of the region would be the outstanding achievement of the confe-

"This would come on the heels of the other aspects of coordination that have already been attained — namely oil, security, agriculture, health and education.

"Trade is equally important," the paper said, "because the region is an importer of most goods and services and as such subject to foreign greed and exploitation. A collective stand and a common policy will conaderably help the region and a would also help other Arah countries if the region gave their products preferential status so that we may in due course find Arah alternatives "Al-Nadwa" deak with var- to foreign products," the paper

> On the Middle East question and the Egyptian Israeli peace talks, "Al-Nadwa" mocked the stalled talks and references to "optimism" regarding their resumption. It said: "What a pity that the proponents of

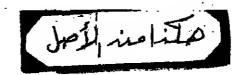
reconciliation have now to resort to optimism in believing they could still achieve something 13 months after engaging in their pursuit of a peace that they claimed only they could make. What a tragedy.

that peace is now dependent that the peace advocates used on the goodwill of Begin, Da-yan and Weizman. It is also tragic that optimism is now the power in this game of peace series of shocks and surprises be attained."

to pride themselves on." The paper said that the peace advocates should have realized by now that "it is not by and reconciliation after the optimism alone that peace can



Patient: If you don't know it there is no point in telling you.



Le Paris in Riyadh

Elegant French dining

RIYADH-Above and beyond the realm of everyday cooking lies the classic French cuisine. Le Paris Restaurant of the Palms Inn Hotel offers a most superb singular art with dual appeal, the cuisine that pampers the palate and the eye-

Le Paris, opened just six months ago, truly depicts the elegance of taste one expects from an art of cooking that has stood the test of time.

To enrich the pleasureable experience of dining out, the huilding itself has been signed with all the distinguishing features of a fine restaurant; not just a "converted villa," but tail columns with rounded glass archways hinting of French luxury.

A wide paved entry way and large parking area among the date paking adds a harmonious touch

What would French dining he without sparkling glass ware, fine silver and cloth and napery to maich? Decorated and designed by an . Italian firm, the appeal to the with soft greens of damask table cloths and napery and blending beige of thick carpeting implies much careful planning.

Soft Parisian music floats among the small alcoves created by divisions of intricately carved wooden panels through which glimpses of many paintings can be seen.

The menu is a bountiful list of French favorites. The selection includes: Caviar de L'Alaska, Langouste a la Parisienne (spiny lobster) Foie gras du Perigord (chopped goose liversi Saumon fume du Norvege (cold poached salmon) Escargois a L'Alsacienne (snails) Soupe de Tortue en Tasse (turtle soup).

The Langousie was a superb treat, the meat removed and the shells filled with finely cut vegetables in mayonnaise, garnishes of artichoke, eggs and truffles. The manager informed us many customers .come and make a meal of just the Langouste or Escargots.

For those who do not want a full meal, they may огаег just the buffet (priced at SR 25 situated in the center of the room on a beautifully decorated table. Hems on the huffet consist of: stuffed okra; stuffed iomatos of mixed vegetable salad, Swedish meat balls, kofta, and schoks with mayonnaise, and much more,

months.



Mahmond Al Suwcidi

The specialty dish is steak, prepared in eight different sauces and garnishes. Even though one may feel a slight variety of selection could be offered, with the abundant items of the entrees and added buffet, a concentration on the preparation of fine steak is understood.

The Steak au Poivre (pepper sleak) was prepared to perfection. A generous portion was served exactly as requested, well done but not a hint of overdone in a rich brown sauce of herbs and Iruffles garnished with deep-fried potatoe puffs (mashed potatoes rolled with breaded covering), baked tomatoes and onions and breaded, stuffed egg plant. The Steak a la Sovoyarde (steak with cheese) was also a most delectable treat, the smooth rich creamy sauce being one of the chef's main special-

The steak creations are quite impressive. Added to the pepper and cheese that were ordered are: Steak aux Champianons (with mushrooms) Steak a L'ognion (with onions) Steak "Rossini" (with Foie Gras) and Steak aux Truffes.

French cooking relies greatly on the distinctive flavor of the truffle. A wild fungi growing in clusters among the roots of many oak trees, they are found anywhere from two to 15 inches below ground surface. Truffles range from sizes no higger than a peanut to the giant size of an orange, though most are

We were most pleased when at the end of our meal we found an astounding array of desserts; peach cheese ple, orange custard pie, and chocolate surrounding area is enhanced cake with assorted crepes were among the offerings.

The manager, Mahmoud Al the many date palms. Suweidi from Athens, atfor four years. "We try to insure an atmosphere and menu French food," said Suweidi. The use of his many years of experience and training are por-

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An important event in Riyadh

rayed in the quality of the Le Paris restaurant. He has also gained much culinary knowledge from his father, who has owned and managed restaurants in Switzerland. His career started at the age of 12 as a porter on a large ship. Later he became head waiter in the service of the Royal Family.

French cooking is a fine art, as surely as painting and sculpure are. The painter or sculptor may create works that endure, but a chef knows his creations disappear quickly hy enthusiastic gastronomes. What

does survive is his reputation. Gerard Paschal, the main chef of the Le Paris, need not be concerned about either his creations lasting or his reputation waning. Assisted by three other chefs, all French Paschal bad been cooking 14 years before coming to Riyadh. He hrings with him the fine subtleties of slocks and sauces so famous in the art of French cooking.

When speaking of the service, Suweidi explained: "The service of the food itself is as important as its preparation. It must never be piled on the plate, and should be served in small portions." When possible, and when the restaurant is not too busy, Suweidi likes to serve the food himself. This evening be removed the food (at the table) from a large silver tray lo our plates, with impeccable consideration for the arrangement of the items.

Much of the food is purchased in Riyadh or Jeddah, except the special delicacies of French cooking such as the langouste, escargots, caviar and thick steak cuts, which are brought in, usually from Paris.

When talking with Suweidi we learned the restaurant and hotel are owned by Prince Muhammad Ibn Saud Ibn Abdul Aziz. Although the Prince owns other businesses in other countries, this is his first restaurant endeavor. Contructed on the Prince's land, just hehind the Guest Palace, the entryway and hy the 50 Parisian-styled private villas (serving as the hotel) and

Breakfast is served from 9:00 tended a hotel and restaurant a.m. to 12:00 noon; lunch 12:30 management school in London to 3:00 and the evening dinner 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Les Entrees range from SR that will add up to the expec- 30 for the Escargots to SR 50 tations of those who enjoy for the Langouste, with the specialty dishes from SR 30 to SR 50. A meat for two is approximately SR 160.

A so-so repast at Al Badiya Oriental Restaurant

By Box Wallah

JEDDAH - The Meridian Hotel is difficult to reach from the northern side of Jeddah. A long detour is caused by the apparently permanent closure of a roundabout. Once you arrive and are fortunate enough to find a place to park, you will not be indifferent to the remarkable decor inside. My friend said, "I had better go back for my space suit."

Upstairs is the Al Badiya Oriental Restaurant, where the decor is pleasantly restrained. The ceiling is made to look like an elongated cone of polished white wood struts. This clean-lined effect is carried down by wooden screens. The walls are made of landscape tiles with simple tree and foliage patterns. Curtains and table fabrics are in yellows and golds. The air conditioning was

ed. Perhaps one should wear warmer clothes when dining out at this time of the year.

We were given the menus. which, though attractively presented, told us nothing about the food. It would be helpful for patrons unfamiliar with Lebanese cuisine (for that is what it is) if short descriptions were to be printed, in the most useful language. under each

We had to ask a lot of questions before we were able to select Fattouch and Torchi to start. Fattouch is a mixed salad of lettuce, tomato, pepper, coriander and cucumber tossed in oil. It was too oily for our taste - although this is the way the dish is prepared and had my friend realized that ther main dish was to be garnished with the same sort of

things, she would have ordered a different appetizer. The Torchi, described by the waiter as 'pickles", was cucumber, carrot and green chilli soaked in vinegar, it was fiercely hot, and one would have thought that a warning from the waiter would have been appropriate in the absence of a caveat on

The "appetizers" arrived with the main course, which was a pity if the intention is to stimulate the palate and the digestive juices for the meal proper and to fill in that little lull before the conversation takes off.

the menu itself.

We ordered Kebab and Kofta and Sheikh al Mahshi. The lamb kebab was excellent. cooked over charcoal, and served with a very tasty fancy rice. The kofta was rather dry hut well flavored.

good indeed. The service was prompt and efficient.

There was a very attractive selection of rich pastries and gateaux available from the sweet trolley but the main courses were generous and we could not find room for any more to eat. We had medium Turkish coffee to follow and it was first rate. Cheerful Arabic and Anda-

lusian music was provided hy four Egyptian instrumentalists, two hiddies, a qanoun and a tabala. The tabalist was outstandingly good.

When we talked with him afterwards, Issam Abi Aad, the assistant food and beverage manager, answered some

The Sheikh al Mahshi was nur points, and told us about aubergines stuffed with ground projects for the future. It is meat served with rice and gar- difficult to get good fresh beef nished with almonds. The at the moment locally, and stuffing and the rice were very much of what is served comes from America. All the locally available vegetables and fruits are used in preparing the dishes. He took our point about the menus and said the air-conditioning was still being adjusted.

> He was saying that the Oriental Restaurant will offer a new service on Wednesday evenings from now on; a huffet serve-yourself meal for SR60 per person, drinks and service extra. The Meridian will also open a new French Restaurant soon. There is a coffee shop avaitable for meals and quick snacks and a tea lounge. There are also facilities for banquets.

Leaving farms for the city

By Norris Willat: "How're ya gomma keep 'em down on the farm

After they've seen Parce? GENEVA — The words of the popular duty hold as true today as when they were written decades ago. And what goes for Paree also applies to London, New York, Sydney. Moscow or any big city.

In recent years, young peo-ple have been deserting the land for urban life in droves, and the trend is expected to continue to the end of the present century.

Confirmation of the defection of farm workers, no new trend, comes in a report issued by the Bureau of Statistics and Special Studies of the International Labor Organization in Geneva. This indicates that between 1950 and 1970, the agricultural workforce of the industrialized countries declined by some 60 million. The exodus occurred in

about equal proportions between the countries of the worid with a predominantly market economy and those uf Eastern Europe where the economies are state-planned: in the former, a little over three milfion workers a year left jobs oo farms; in the latter, a little, under three million.

ILO statisticians expect the trend to continue. Their forcast is that between 1970 and 2000, another 60 million will be lost to the agricultural laworld, both West and East. This means a slowdown to about two million a year.

One of the principal reasuns for the flight from the farms is that agricultural work has little appeal to young people. They find life on the farm loo confining at all times, and are no doubt particularly repelled by the fact that the husiest season is the summer. While other people are on vacation, they often have to work long hours of overtime.

Much of the lost labor simply represents natural attrition. As workers who have spent their lives on farms retire or die, no young people come for-ward to fill their shoes. Hence, the average age of the work-force is steadily advancing.

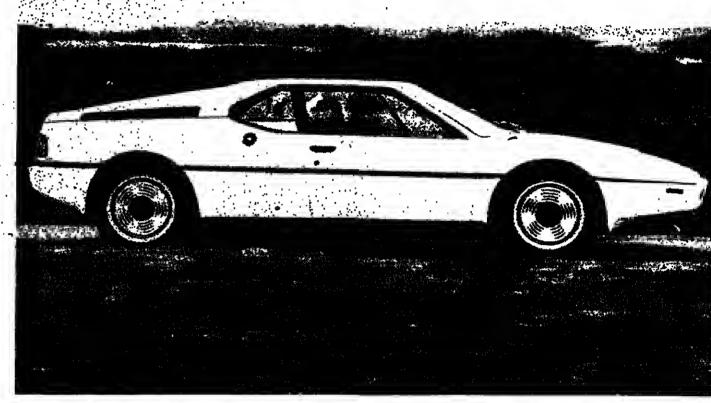
Startling as this exodus from the land may appear statistically, it seems to present nu threat to the food supply of the world. The loss of manpower is being more than compensated for by the increase in agricultural productivity, the result of improvements in seed. in crop yields, in irrigation methods and, above all, in mechanization.

Farmers in both market economy countries and those with planned economies have shown themselves capable of producing larger and larger crops of food for humans and feet for animals with the dwindling workforce.

Great ingennity has been disolayed in eliminating some of the more disagreeable jobs such as seed sowing and crop barvesting by the development of increasingly complex and sophisticated equipment.

Furthermore, pressure from trade unions representing farm workers has led to a hig improvement in wages and working conditions in the past 25 years. Agricultural wages in the more economically developed countries are closing the gap with factory wages. And farm workers earn a lot of overtime, especially at such busy times as sowing, harvesting, lambing and calving.

Also, farm workers enjoy many fringe benefits denied to factory workers, such as free accommodation and farm proouce. They don't have to commute, and can cat their midday meal at home. — (OFNS)



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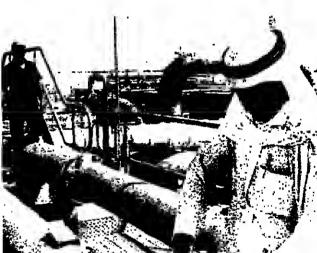
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Up years and down, the American multinational thrives in Europe

BRUSSELS-Slightly more than a decade ago, Europe was warned that American business was about to take over the continent. But the competitive balance has shifted, and the Americans are taking another look at their strategy. Some of the United States-

based multinational corporations that flocked to Europe in the postwar period have slowed their investments on the continent and many are sending their American executives home. Some companies with plants in Europe now find that they can manufacture mure cheaply in the United States. Others are discovering that exporting to Europe can be profitable.

Instead of domioating the world business sceoe as they once did, the Americans find themselves challeoged in Third World markets by equally ciever fureign companies offering pruducts as good as or better than those made io the

While the American companies have been adjusting to more and stronger competition overseas, toreign curporations and individuals have been taking advantage of the change in economic tortunes to invest at record levels in the United

"What we are seeing today is not the Americanization of Europe, but the growth of a Western-style of business culture and taste which covers Westero Europe, the . United States, Canada, much of Latio America and part of the Far East, including Japan," the chief executive of a major Americao manufacturer io

Europe said the other day.

The often-quoted warning about the Americao commercial invasion of Europe was sounded in 1967 by the French journalist-politician Jean-Jacques Servan-Schreiher.

He wrote that "by 1982 it is quite possible that the world's greatest industrial power, just after the United States and Russia, will not be Europe but American industry in Europe."

Now it seems clear American husiness has not taken over Europe. But neither has it been turned out of the continent, Instead, American business has become an essential element in the European economy, existing side by side with revised European enter-

The American presence in Europe is so immense-and still so profitable—that even five years of steady decline of MOLIG LEG heightened competition have not diminished its dimensions.

What has happened in the last few years is that the strong, well-managed U.S. corporations have elected to put down deeper European roots while the weaker companies have pulled up stakes and gooe home, or moved to easier markets.

"American investment down in Europe, but then all investment is down," an Americao guvernmeot experi in Brussels cummented. "There is no trend toward disinvestment." According to an American diplomat in Paris, "There is no strong trend for investment up or down.

"The strong are getting stronger and the weak are getting out," he added. The U.S. Commerce De-

partment reported in August

that in 1977 American invest-ment overseas totaled \$148.8 billion, of which 40 per cent -more than \$60 billion-was in Western Europe.

Sales by American subsidiaries in Europe that year were more than \$220 billiun, 20 per cent mure than the lotal output of Italy, and about 11 per cent of the entire European economy outside the Soviet Union

American-owned companies in 1977 were responsible for oearly 15 per cent of all sales within the nine countries of the European Economic Community (EEC), where most of their factories and offices are

Despite the generally sluggish world economy, Americao companies in 1977 iocreased their overseas investment by 9 per cent. Foreigners raised their investment in the United States by 11 per cent, bringing the total to \$34 bil-

The American presence Europe is small compared with the size of U.S. domestic business. But many of the companies that have established themselves abroad are conspicuous, major participants in the European economy and have done extremely well

Last year, for iostance, the Ford Mutor Co. made twice as much money overseas as it did at home. Citicorp, the world's second-largest banking hirm (after the Bank of America) earned 90 per cent of its

profits overseas. A 1974, survey showed that such companies as National Casb Register, Coca-Cola, Gillette, Hoover, 1BM, International Flavors, Pfizer and Sperry Rand made half or

more of their profits abroad. More recent surveys have shown that U.S. corporations have slowed their acquisition of affiliates overseas and that multinationals based io other countries are the acquisition leaders.

This reinforces the conclusioo that the Americans who have survived the five-year European recession are investing in their better affiliates and selling off their losers.

The EEC, which surveyed multinationals in 1976, found that while Europeans owned twice as many international companies and were expanding more rapidly, the U.S.-based companies were much more profitable.

officials concluded. from this that American multinationals achieve a total turnover 43 per cent higher than the turnover of a mately twice as many European firms.

To the casual observer, the American presence in Europe seems greater than it actually is, because of the conspicuous success of a relatively few companies in some areas.

Thus, American-owned companies produce 30 per cent of the automobiles sold in Europe and a large portion of the gasoline that fuels them, as two-thirds of the computers sold on the contineot. Western Europeao airlines.

with few exceptions, fly American-made planes. Yugoslavia, the most independent of the Communist oations, has in recent years bought for its national airline nothing but American planes.

Walking any major street io Europe, visitors are assaulted by American brand.

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names-Coca Cola, Marloboro, Levi Strauss, Wrangler, dak, Parker, Arrow. In cilies, these traditional rites have been joined McDonalds, Burger Chef, Baskin-Robbins. Tandy and Mis-

ter Minit. Americans dominale some fields. In advertising, for example, they own the top five agencies in Britain, four of the first five in Germany, three of five in Italy and Belgium and two of five in France. Spain and the Netherlands. And they continue to be strong in accounting, management, consultancy, and banking.

In supermarkets, which reflect a dramatic change in European eating habits, Kelloggs cereals have expanded rapidly, as have different brands of Florida orange juice, some of it shipped frozen from the Uoited States and some of it packaged in Europe.

Most American brands are manufactured locally. Some have been adopted as local. "H. J. Heinz has been in England so long that people no longer think of it as an American company," an American business expert in Lon-

don commented. "Hoover is

so entrenched that the brand

name has become an English verb meaning 'to vacuum.' On the other hand, in the broader range of industrial output, U.S. companies have been set back by strong Eu-

ropean competition. Ten years ago U.S. companies were the largest in 11 of 12 major industries-aerospace, automobiles, chemicals, electrical equipment, food, machinery, steel, metal products, paper, oil, pharmaceuticals and textiles—as well as in bank-

Io 1976 Americans led seven, West Germans in three, British and Japanese in one each and one was jointly owned by British and Dutch in-

The American presence in multinational business remains the largest single presence, even though it was overstated in the late 1960s as a good deal of research on non-U.S. business has now disclosed," according to Lawrence Franko, who participated in a massive survey of the subject for the Harvard Business School. "Other countries' multinationals are expanding, not retreating."

The movement is illustrated by the automobile business, which in the last year has seen General Motors and Ford expand in Europe while Chrysler was selling out to Peugeot of гапсе

The tire industry shows a similar pattern. In the two years, Goodrich has given up manufacturing in Europe and Firestone has cut back. while Goodyear has continued to make good profits and is expanding its research center in

In Belgium, site of many American investments, the J.C. Jenney Co, is a major retailer through its Sarma subsidiary. On the other hand, Sears Roeback did not do well in Beigium and recently sold its retail outlets to a French com-

"Europe has become more and more competitive," an American tire-man commentted. "In this iodustry. Europe's technology caught up and passed the American."

The big mover in the tire business has been Michelin of

France, which developed the radial tire. It used its success to start manufacturing in the United States and to take a lucrative share of the market away from the huge American rubber companies.

Some experts believe that the first multinational corporation was the Singer Sewing Machine Co., which opened a factory in Glasgow in 1867. At that time the old German Bayer Chemical Corporation had an analine plant in Albany.
N.Y., and the Swedish Nobel company was making dynamite in Hamburg, Germany.

Westinghouse Airbrake came to Europe before World War I because it found a better reception for its products among nationalized railroads when it manufactured oo the

The big explosion came between 1946 and 1970, when the value of the American presence increased more than 20fold to \$21.5 billion.

"By the early 1970s, United States had become more of a foreign investor thao an exporter of domestically manufactured goods," Prof. Robert Gilpin of Princeton University wrote in a recent hook on multinational corporations.

The overseas expansioo was fueled by great sales successes. From 1966 to 1976, annual sales went from \$40 billion to \$207 billion, an increase of 500 per cent during a period when the European economy was growing by about 300

per cent. 'I he tide started to turn in 1975, In 1973 and 1974 American affiliates saw their sales go up 33 per cent and 30 per cent, but in 1975 and 1976 the gains were relatively modest at 12 per cent and 11 per

While sales fell and competition became sharper operating costs continued to rise. European labor, which had worked longer hours for less money than American labor, used the period of steady prosperity to hid wages and fringe benefits

Australia's skin cancer

SYDNEY - Australia'a national pastime of sun "baking" is being blamed for an alarming increase in skin cancer. ".

Doctors believe the obsessive pursuit of a suntan is largely responsible for an upsurge in melanoma, the skin cancer.

As hundreds of thousands: of Australians stretch out on sun-bleached beaches again. this southern summer, medical researchers at Sydney Hospital have released new statistics showing a doubling of melanoma victims in only seven vears.

Anstralia is reckoned to have the highest incidence of skin cancer in the world.

The cause of this form of the disease has been loosely. linked with atmosphere pollution and possible damage to the ozone layer by planes and fluorocarbons in aerosols, but researchers consider the sun's ultra-violet rays to be the

chief culprit. Straddling the tropics, Australia is unique in having a mainly white population originating from more gentle climes where nature did not endow skins with protection against a harsh sun. The native black-skinned Aborigines are virtually free of skin can-

The increase in melanoma closely parallels the fashion which has developed within the last 20 years for a "heal-

The Sydney Hospital study found that melanoma cases in New South Wales rose from 11.4 to 22 per 100,000 people between 1970 and 1976. A recent study io Queensland -where vehicle registration plates bear the tag "Sunshine State" - reports a similar in-

crease over the last 10 years. An estimated 2,000 to 3,000 people are now falling victim to melanoma in Australia every year, and the total mmber of new cases of all types of skin cancer is thought to be about 200,000 per annum.

Melanoma usually starts with a malignant mole. Unlike other skin cancers, meianoma can quickly spread through the body in the bloodstream. One in four victims dies from the disease, but like most cancers it can be cured if spoited early. -- (OFNS)

up at world-record rates. A Citroank survey found that between 1970 and 1977. in terms of local currencies, real labor costs (after eliminating the effects of inflation)

went up the most in Italy (70 per cent), followed by Belgium (61 per cent), the Ne-therlands, West Germany aod cal factors. Sweden (all 48 per cent). U.S. labor costs in the same period

rose 12 per cent. Since the dollar was falling in most ot that period, labor costs in dollar terms went up hy nearly 150 per cent in the Netherlands, Switzerland, and Sweden and 135 per cent in Germany and Belgium. Citibank found the highest wages in Sweden-\$10.30 an hour compared with U.S. avetraditions.

Beigium and the Netherlands were also above the U.S. average. Britain, at \$3.62, had the lowest of the 12 major ecocomies, including Japan, that were examined.

rage of \$8.71.

As wages rose sharply, governments supported them by enacting a complex, expensive system of social benefits.

European workers routinely take home much less cash than American workers, but they have fringe benefits that add 50 to 60 per ceot to their com-pensation. U.S. fringe henefits add an average of 30 per cent to wages. And by law, the European has much more job security than is provided in American labor contracts.

In Germaoy, International Telephone and Telegraph, the largest U.S. company in Europe, recently paid \$5 million to close a small factory in Stuttgart and lay off 600 workers. The compensation was set by a government umpire, not by any collective bargaining bet-

ween company and unioo,

Aiso, the fall of the dollar has made it difficult for companies that rely on domestic sales for most of their profits to invest in strong-currency countries such as Switzerland, Germaoy, Belgium and the Netherlands, American executives are oot eager to move overseas unless their companies guarantee them protection from dollar erosion and pay them substantial cost-of-living differentials.

Some of the most successful

rope, such as IBM and Ford. have trained local executives to take the place of U.S. citi-

As they look at the new investment possibilities, Americans in Europe carefully examine the economic and politi-

For years Britain was the most popular site for U.S. companies because of the common language and casy market entry, then, as the European Economic Community develop, at first without Britain. the Americans moved into the Benelux countries and Germany because of their central location and strong industrial

Now France is getting attention because the French government clearly encourages foreign investment lreland gets attention because of its labor costs, but its location poses a delivery problem. Spain is also attractive, because costs. hut its location poses a delivery problem. Spain is also attractive, because costs are relatively low and the country is expected to enter the EEC within

"Oo paper, Britain is clearly the best place to make a new investment," an American executive based in Germany said "As a practical malter, however, given the problems with labor unions in Britain, right now I would

the next five years.

With the dollar so cheap compared with European currencies, and the European market about as large and rich as the American, many U.S. companies are discovering their potential as exporters.

U.S. auto makers, despite big investments in Europe, are setting an example that has Europeans worried and is stimulating some consolidation amung continental auto ma-

the secret is to make a product that suits international tastes and is priced right. And the Americans sill have an advantage in manufacturing capacity. —(LAT)

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PEUGEOT 305 **CLOSE LOOK**

In what might at first seem a foolhardly move, Peugeol have ignored the current trend towards hatchback cars, and opted for a traditional 'three box' design for their latest model,

However, on closer inspection, this decision is probably the right one, for the plus points of the new model far outweigh any advantage that might have been gained from a hatchback design.

Immediate tirst impressions are dominated by the clean unfussed styling of the body. Designed by Pinifarina, it will probably be looked back on as one of his best ever efforts.

The styling is lightly reminiscent of the sleek BMW's or a distinctly European flavour.



Inside, equal care has been taken with a clean, simple layout of instruments and controls, and comfortable seats. The car is also roomier than it might seem from outside, with legroom to spare for a tall hack-seat passenger behind an equally tall driver. The back seat will take three adults in

Power comes from the Peugeot 304 motor, a 1472 c.c. transverse 4 with cast iron 'wet' cylinders in a light alloy block The 1472 develops 74 bhp to give a top speed of 152 kph, and acceleration from 0 to 100 in 13.2 seconds-

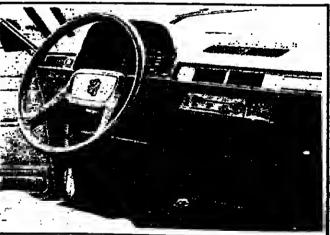
A long torque range means that the 1472 version will pull up to 110 kph in third gear, but oo difficulty handling 40 kph around town in top gear.

Peugeoi have also tightened up their ideas on suspension. Gone is the soft rock and roll that French mannfacturers seemed to regard as essential to a good ride, and the handling is now reminiscent of German or British cars, with excellent road holding on all kinds of surface.

This is mainly due to alternations in the front suspension. Peugeot have used independent suspension all round on the 304, with Mac Pherson structs, but the 305 features a wider track at the front with twin anti-roll bars.

Linked with light, positive rack and pinion steeriog, the suspension makes the 305 easy and predictable even when driven quite hard, an important point where safety is concerned. Safety is another aspects that has been carefully looked

at. The body features front and rear energy-absorbing zones, transverse reinforcement of the floor pan, and a fuel tank mounted under the floot between the rear wheels, where it is least likely to split in case of accidents.



To guard against minor bumps, the side panels are protected by a sensible thick rubber strip. Visibility has aiways been a feature of Peugeots, and this is no less so with the 305. The square design of the body means, too, that all the corners of the car are visible from the drivers seat, making parking that

Careful thought has also gone into the design of the dashboard, which is simply laid out with large dials. This pink illumination at night may sound a little garish, but it has been chosen by Peugeot as the most restful for the eyes, The dashboard also features the large ventilation outlets. both for car and windscreen, that have for some time been a feature of Peugeot design.

One major feature of the 305 is the gearbox. It seems that the days of the sloppy gearchange on front-wheel drive cars is finally over. The gearbox, mounted in the sump of the transverse engine, is light and precise.

On the road, the 305 is quiet to ride in, always a feature of Peugeois, which have in the past been well-insulated against engine noise. Added to this, the design has been carefully wind-tested to iron out those parts that create wind-roar.

Luggage capacity is good, with a large boot with oo spare wheel to clutter it up. The wheel is mounted underneath. Available as optional equipment is an air-conditioning unit especially studied and tested for Saudi Arabia.

With all these plus points, the Peugeot 305 seems certain to rack up high sales, and to convert many non-Peugeot drivers to a lasting affection for the make-

Revokes visa

Washington bans fight by Knoetze

JOHANNESBURG, Jan. 9 (Agencies) — South African beavyweight boxer Kallie Knoetze's entry visa into the United States has been revoked and his fight scheduled for Saturday in Miami Beach is off, the U.S. Embassy here said Tuesday.

The embassy said word had been received from the U.S. State Department about the revocation of the visa earlier in the day.

The visa revocation sought by U.S. civil rights groups, makes Knoetze an illegal alien and blocks his fight against American Bill Sharkey. "We are awaiting some more

details but all we really know at this stage is that the visa has been revoked," the embassy said. A report published in the

United States said the visa was revoked because Knoetze was convicted felon. The American Coordinating Committee for Equality in inorts headed by the Rev. Jesse ackson opposed the fight beause of the 24-year-old

Cnoetze's conduct while serv-

ng in the Pretoria police

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP)-

Three-time Wimbledon cham-

pige Bjorn Borg is the choice

of tennis pros as Player of the

Year, and John McEnroe was

reted Newcomer of the Year

The honors are voted by the

Borg, 22, won the French

and Italian Opens and Wim-

bledon in 1978 and finished

second in world rankings to

defeated Connors at Wimble-

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McEnroe, a 19-year-old New

CRANS-MONTANA Switzer-

land, Jan. 9 (AP)—West German veteran Christian Neuren-

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ed a black youth in the less during the bloody clashes in Soweto two years ago. The vouth later had a leg amputat-

Knnetze resigned from the force in November because he said, he wanted to devote time to boxing and his farm here. He had been found guilty several months earlier of obstructing justice after he had pleaded guilty of trying to put pressure on two boys not to testify against a police colleague who was charged with assaulting them.

Knoetze, ranked number two challenger for Muhammad Ali's World Boxing Association (WBA) title, had hoped victory over Sharkey, ranked number 12 in the United States, would lead to a title fight.

Saturday's bout would have been the first outside South Africa for Knoetze who rose rapidly in the world rankings after knocking out leading American heavyweight Duane Bobick last year.

Groups of protestors had announced plans to demonstrate at the fight if it had been allowed to go ahead.

BORG: Voted best

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Players pick Borg as No.1 of 1978



RUNS IN: England's Derek Randall just makes it to the crease on his way to a stead y 65 in the fourth Test against Australia.

Ashes series hinges on morning session

SYDNEY, Jan. 9 (AP) -The first session of Wednesday's fourth day of the Fourth Test between England and

Australia looms as the most important of the series. England will resume Wednesday at 133 for two in its

1977, last year was the first

in which he played as a pro.

He finished the year ranking fifth on the ATP computer.

Others honored by the ATP

were triple Wimbledon doub-

les champions Frew McMillan

and Bob Hewitt of South Af-

Service Award; Arthur Ashe, The R.W. Johnson National

Junior Tennis Association Award, Rex Beltamy, Writer

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9 (AP) - Chris Evert easily

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Banbara Jordan, 6-3, 6-1, Mon-

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Evert, who was seeded se-

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face a yet-to-be-determined op-

Ponent on Wednesday. Jordan, a Stanford Univer-

sity senior who qualified for pro status only last week, sta-ked the match on a series of accurate drop shots, but Event

recovered most of them handi-

In early matches, Marita Redondo and Kathy May, see-

ded 7th and 8th respectively,

swept to victory as expected. Redondo defeated Peanut Lo-

the Oakland Coliseum,

President's award.

ear, and Pierre Darvon, ATP

OAKLAND, California, Jan.

most break through early Wednesday morning.

If Randall and Gooch can last the morning session then Australia can probably kiss goodbye to any hopes of victory, and any hopes of winning the series

second innings still trailing

Australia's first innings total of

Derek Randall is not out 65

and Graham Goodh not ou.

6. Australia has a golden op-

portunity to level the series at

two air in this Toest, but they

294 by nine runs.

The pitch is starting to take some turn at the southern end but it is far from a dangerous strip. There are still plenty of

runs in the wicket and England's captain Mike Bearley is tooking for a 200 to 230 run 'It's not a metter of playing

rica, Jack Knamer, Great Pla-yer of the Past, Jaime Filol of Chile, the ATP Service Award, Domild Dell, Lifetime for a win or just to save the At this stage we will have to bat for as long as posmible to get as many runs as possible. Brearley said. The Test is still marginally in Australia's favor. But our

play the last two days has been a tremendously brave just a disaster. We had a team meeting on Saturday and decided to start to build up our game again." he said. Graham Yallop is still ada-

mant that Australia will win cup this Test. But after having a etranglebold on Saturday night the game has slipped away. England can conceivably win. The Australian bowlers were

magnificent to dismiss England for 152 in the first innings, but the balamen failed to take advantage of the situation.

Leading English League scorers

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP) — Leading goalscorers in the English Loague:

Division One Frank Worthington,

Bolion, 17
Bob Latchford, Everton, 14
Alan Buckley, Walsald, 12
John Ryan, Norwich, 11

Frank Stapleton, Arsenal, 11 Liam Brady, Arsenal, 11 Kenny Dalgiish, Liverpool,

Jimmy Greenhoff, Manchester United, 10 Alan Gowling, Bolton, 10

Pop Robson, West Ham, 17

Gary Rowell, Sunderland, 13 Brian Stein, Luton, 13

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Rovers, 13

Mick Flanagan, Charlton, 13 David Cross, West Ham, 12 Martin Robinson, Chariton, 12 Afan Biley, Cambridge, 12

Play resumes Saturday

3 clubs to fight out tight Bundesliga battle

FRANKFURT, West Germany, Jan. 9 (AP)-Three clubs are locked in a tight batthe for the West German soccer championship when the return leg of the season gets under way Salurday.

Leading the Bundesliga are FC Kaiserslautern, the surprise team of the early part of the championship.

It is followed by Hamburg SV only one point behind. VFB Stuttgart unather point

Eintracht Frankfurt fourth, six points behind the leader and four points behind Stuttgart, and thus rated out of contention.

The three leading clubs are naturally regarded with Hamburg and Slutigart given slightbetter chances than Kaiserdautern, which many experts fear will not have the stamina to continue its winning performance through the rest of the season.

Hamburg's efforts received a morale booster on Sunday when English superstar Kevin Keegan, just recently voted Wesi Germany's mosi valuable player by his colleagues and opponents in the league, deci-

ded to stay with the club.

Keegan, nicknamed "Mighty Mouse". had received some tempting offers from abroad including a multi-million dollar bid from the NASL Wasbington Diplomats but decided to prolong his contract with Hamburg.

Signing of the new contract will take place within the next days guaranteeing the 27-yearold former Liverpool ace at least DM 420,000 (\$240,000) basic yearly salary. In addition that he received premiums and earns money from promotional contracts and endorsements so that his total income is likely to top DM 1 million (\$550,000).

Kaiserslautern will have to dn without its sweeper Peter Briegel for the next three games. He was sent off during a cup match against an amateur side for pushing an opponent and was banned for eight weeks by the fontball federation's disciplinary board. Stuttgart can field its best

side again including Hans Mueller, after the young mid-

Tuesday night when it

won its ahind round match,

The 32 third round matches

were scheduled for last Satur-

day, but only three could be

played because of snow and ice and one of these was

1-0, at Swansca.

suspension which cost him two internationals against Hungary and Holland in December.

While the top three have hardly any problems, defending league champion FC Cologne is still struggling to gain a footing.

After winning the coveted double the cup and the league championship Cologne never regained its composure. Midfielder Heinz Fluhe was

sidelined with injuries during most of the first half and other injured players added to the calamities. Furthermore, striker Dieter Mueller has only found his mark three times in 17 league-matches providing the greatest disappointment to his club. Halfway through last season he had already 17 goals to his credit.

The team clearly overestimated its own strength, sometimes playing arrogantly and subsequently losing easy matches. It is in ninth place going into the second half ,ien points off the pace, after climbing up from 14th with three recent



MOST VALUABLE: Kevin Keegan saw out 1978 with a hat-trick against Arminia Bielefeld and is clearly justifying the \$1 million Hamburg paid for him.

For Dallas

Yugoslav heads NASL school draft

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (AP)-Njego Pesa was chosen by the Dallas Tornado as the first of 97 players drafted Monday by North American Soccer league teams in its annual selection of

college and bigh school players. Pesa, a native of Yugoslavia, is a forward from Ulster, New York, Community College.

Adrian Brooks, a midfielder from Philadelphia Textile, was picked No. 2 by Atlanta, Larry Hulcer, St. Louis University midfielder, was taken third by Los Angeles, and Jeff Durgen, a defender from Stadium High School in Tacoma, Washington, was drafted fourth by the Cosmos, the defending league champion.

The 24 NASL learns selected 66 players from four-year colleges, four from junior col-

with a powerful low

drive. Then young goalkeeper

Martin Thomas, making a str-

all Swansea's efforts to hit

home in the fourth round against either Chariton Athletic

Alex Bruce, Preston, 15 Paul Randalt, Bristol

or Maidstone United

ing of superb saves, frustrated

Bristol Rovers will be at

leges and 29 from high schools. In addition, eight of the players who had petitioned the NASL as hardship cases requesting they be drafted were selected. Any four-year college or junior college players who do not sign will be eligible for a second draft in the spring.

The Cosmos only selected Durgen, trading its other two picks to Houston and Toronto. .Twenly-two players who performed in the recent Senior Bowl were picked.

Pesa, who attended high school in New York, said he was not sure he would sign with Dallas. He led Ulster Community College to two straight national titles.

Pesa said be might enrol at

Hartwick College, despite Dallas' having dealt Jeff Bourne, a striker who scored 21 goals lasi year, to Allanta in order to secure the first pick.

Tornado Coach Al Miller said, "Every effort will be made lo sign him. He scored 27 goals two years ago and 26 last year. You can never tell how a player will develop. Much depends upon the team he joins — and we ibink the Tornado is just the right op-portunity for Pesa.

"Everything will depend upon the offer I receive," said Pesa, "I have to talk to Miller and Francisco Marcos.

Marcos, the Tornado's vice presidest of player personnel, -said, "We would have given up all of our choices to get Pesa.

Rovers beat Swansea, 1-0, The Board of Directors, advance to F.A. 3rd round LONDON, Jan. 9 (R) -Steve White, brought into ALBANK ALSAUDI ALHOLLANDI the Bristol team as a replace-ment for 175,000 pound sig-Second Division Bristol Rovers became the third dub to ning Paul Randall, got the reach the fourth round of the winning goal in the seventh English Football Association

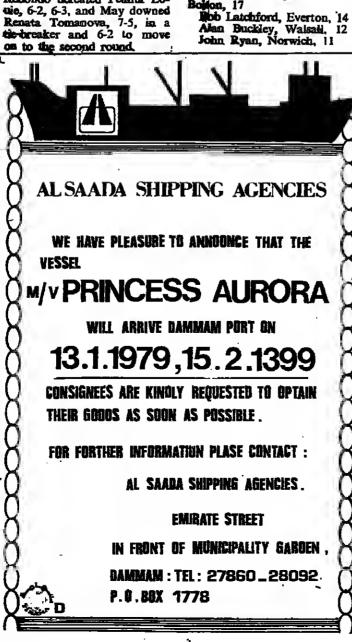
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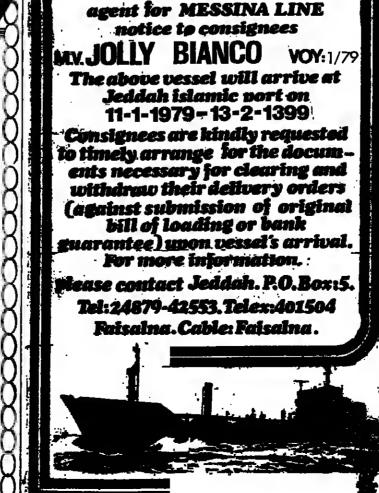
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Japanese may go it alone. on Iran petrochemicals

TOKYO, Jan. 9 (R) - The Iranian side in a joint \$3.25 billion petrochemical venture with Japan's Mitsui industriai group was unable to put up the cash needed to complete the project, the company said Tuesday.

But Toshikuni Yahiro. a Mitsui vice-president, said it would go ahead with building the complex at Bandar Shapur on the Gulf if it could obtain extra funds from Japanese banks.

Yahiro, who is president of the Iran Chemical Development Co., the Japanese partner in the 50-50 joint venture. recently visited Tehran to assess the complex's future inthe light of the political turmoil in Tran.

He said the Mutsui group would have to change its pollcy of always matching its supply of funds with the progress of Iranian investment.

It would have to supply some cash to allow building to

The Mitsui Group would ask the Japanese government to support the new policy, which was the only way to complete the complex, Yahiro

sources close to the group estimated the figure at about 11 billion yen (\$56.4 million). The complex is scheduled to be completed next year.

France wants U.S. help to build new Concordes Britain and Prance are joint

PARIS, Jan. 9 (AP) -Transport Minister Joel to Theule said Tuesday France was looking ahead to a new generation of the supersonic Concorde, to be built with American participation.

At a ceremony in which he officially received the Concorde's American airworthiness certificate, le Theule said he would "do everything so that studies of the supersonic aircraft continue and a second

generation comes into being." He said he would have talks on the subject with British transport officials in March.

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He did not say how much cash would be needed, but

manufacturers of the Concor-But he added, "it is likely that such a plane will be the fruit of cooperation that will

include American manufactu-

The airworthiness certificate officially permits the Concordes of Air France and British Airways to extend their existing Europe-Washington runs to Dallas.

The Concorde began flying to the United States only after overcoming resistance from Americans concerned about the plane's high noise level.

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HOVERCRAFT: The SRN Super-4 hovercraft, the Princess Anna, which can carry 416 passengers and 60 cars across the English Channel in about 40 minutes. New variable-pitch propellors and a 30-ton flexible skirt enable it to put to sea in force

Graiver mystery lingers

Banker's body can't be tried

NEW YORK, Jan. 9 (R) -A judge has ruled that an Argentine financier accused of looting \$15 million from an American bank he owned could not be put on trial because there was no proof that he was alive.

The financier, David Graiver, was originally believed lo have died in the crash of s chartered jet north of Acapulco. Mexico. Aug. 7, 1976.

A body said to be his was

activities at the American Bank and Trust Co. were being investigated and the firm went bankrupt a month later.

At the time of the crash, his

Manhattan District Attor-

ney Robert Morgenthau said

ged with looting the bank.

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but Manhattan Supreme Court

Judge Arnold Fraiman ruled

Monday that evidence submit-

ted by Morgenthau did not

prove one way or another

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Oil up 50% in 6 years, French report predicts

PARIS, Jan. 9 (AP) - The price of oil is likely to rise another 50 per cent by 1985 compared with prices a year ago and stand at \$20 to \$25 a barrel says a governmentcommissioned study.

The study was completed last February, before the latest price rise, and upgraded estimates of Mexican oil production. It has only now been published by the National Eco-

nomic Statistics Institution, It warns of a possible "jolt" in oil prices in the next few years, comparable to the four-

fold increase after the 1973 October War.

The study, prepared as part of a survey of French economic prospects in the next decade, concedes that predictions of oil price increases depend on too many factors to be precise,

But it warns that world's energy crisis is just beginning" and that by the mid-1980s "the era of oil itself" will show signs of disappearing before substitute energy sources are prepared.

U.S. refineries strike awaits government word

(AP) - The country's 60,000 first major union showdown OH LEMBELA MORVERS to delay their threatened nationwide strike, as union officials awaited government reaction to a possible 73-centner-hour raise.

DENVER, Colo. Jan. 9 The contract dispute is the wage-price guidelines, which allow for a seven per cent increase in wages and . benefits over the life of a con-

Dollar slightly higher

LONDON, Jan. 9 (AP) - The dollar was fractionally higher against most major world currencies Tuesday. Gold prices also rose. The dollar closed in Tokyo at 195.60 yen up from 195.30 on Monday. Dealers said trading was quiet.

World tobacco output up 2.6%

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9 (AP) - World lobacco production rose 2.6 per cent to a near-record of 5.59 million metric tons in 1978, including hefty increases in China, India Brazil and the United States, says the U.S. Agriculture Department. But the Soviet Union's tobacco harvest dropped slightly, it

India, E.Germany sign trade accord

NEW DELHI, Jan. 9 (AP) - India and East Germany Tuesday signed a six-year agreement on economic, technical. isdustrial and scientific cooperation. The accord was signed by East German Communist Party polithuro member Guenter Mittag and Indian Industries Minister George Fernandes after official talks between Erich Honocker, East German head of state, and Prime Misister Morarji Desai.

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SAMA rates announced by the Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, based on average rates on the London Money market and the official price of the U.S. dollar.

U.S., Japanese trade cooperation in China seen

TOKYO. Jan. 9 (AP) The leader of Japan's powerful Federation of Economic Organizations said Tuesday he saw great potential for cooperation between American and Japanese companies in China.

Toshiwo Doko, 82-year-old federation leader and spokesman for the Japanese business community, said he looked to the recently announced cooperation between U.S. Steel and a Japanese trading firm in the development of an iron mine in northeast China as "a possible future trend."

Doko said, "There is no reason for Japan to do things

alone all the time."
Under an agreement announced in Tokyo Saturday, Okura and Company, a Japanese trading firm specializing in steel, is to supply machinery and other equipment to U.S. Steel. The American steel giant is to spend \$1 billion to develop the Chi-Ta-Shan mine in northeast China. The protocol was signed last week. Japan is at present China's

No. 1 supplier of plant equipment. Construction already has begun on a steel mill to be built in China by Nippon

last year he had evidence that Graiver had not died in the Doko said, "U.S.-China dipplane crash and he was charlomatic relations should go a long way to improving the atmosphere in China trade. It He was to have been tried will help us a lot too." in absentia Feb. 15 with three

The Japanese business leader admitted the sudden decrease in the value of the dollar has caused problems in trade between Japan and China, "We are now having to figure out whether to finance deals in dollars or yen," Doko

It has been reported that the Chinese are rejuctant to anprove deals in yen for fear that the Japanese currency may appreciate further in the hiture. A Japanese delegation of business leaders went to China last year in an attempt to

smoothe financial differences Doko said "One thing for certain, there is not enough money in the private sector to finance China trade, so sovernment help through Export-Import Bank will necessary."

New car sales in U.K. best

since '73 record New car sales in Britain in 1978 totalled 1,591,941, the highest since the record 1.661.642 in 1973 according to figures issued by the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders.

The 1978 total was slightly below the forecast of 1.6 million and 20.3 per cent higher than the 1977 total of 1,323,524.

The best-selling car in Britain was the Ford Cortina, with 139,204 sold, followed by the Ford Escort (114,415) and Morris Marina (82,638).

Importers took 49.3 per cent of the 1978 market, against 45.4 percent in the previous

Japanese cars ended the year with 10.96 per cent of the market, compared with 10.61 per cent in 1977, while other BBC countries took 32,8 per cent, compared with 31.1 per cent in the previous 12 months.



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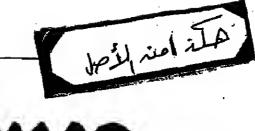
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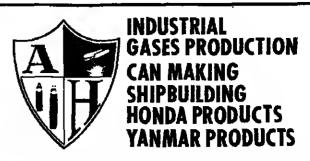
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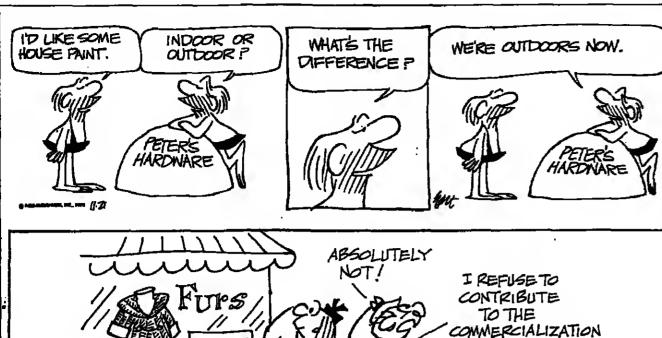
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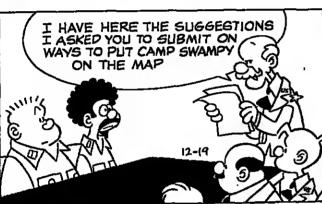


















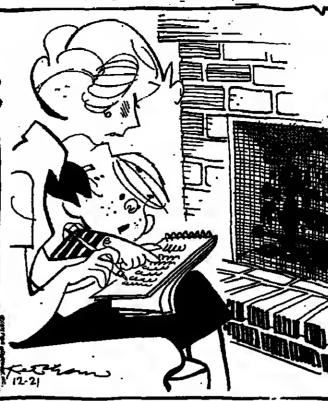






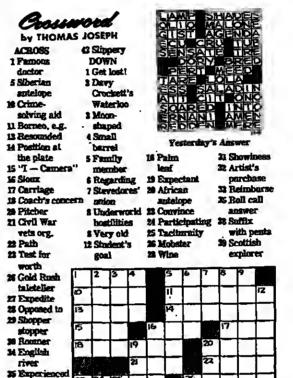


Dennis the Menace



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East would ruff the club, put West on lead for another ruff, and defeat the contract with his ace of hearts. In fact, that is probably what would have happened with a club lead and a club finesse at trick one. East would ruff, lead the ace and another heart, and get another club ruff to achieve down one. But West mis

purpose of the double. He did not read it as asking for a club lead. He led a beart instead. East took the ace and returned a heart to West's king. Now, at long last, West caught on and led the nine of clubs.

singleton, declarer went up with the ace — only to have it ruffed. East returned a trump ruited. East returned a framp and South, now utterly con-fused by the double, finessed. West took his queen and led the king and another club to put South down 1,600 points! Declarer would have fared much better had he finessed West's chub lead at trick three. In fact, had he later guessed the trump position, he would have done 2,830 points better. He would have finished plus 1,230 instead of minus 1,600. Did East make a bad double? Did West make a bad lead? It all depends on your point of view. It you go only by results. East-West played



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Your Individual Horoscope



FOR WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1979 What kind of day will

tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth

ARIFS
(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)

Friends will back you in
career endeavors now, but be
circumspect in speech and
behavior with those you don't know well.

TAURUS
(Apr. 20 to May 20)
Work for your own financial benefit. Don't count on others for financial help, but an unexpected outing with a close ally should be enervating. (May 21 to June 20)

Try a new approach to mundane tasks. Rearrange your office, buy a work-caving appliance, or find new methods to improve efficiency. It's that kind of day. (June Zi to July 22)

Don't let an inclination towards solitude keep you from accepting an invitation for good times. Go-along, and be pleasantly surprised.

(July 23 to Aug. 22) Instead of daydreaming about romantic adventure, use your imagination to good advantage with creative work at the job and in the home. VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22)

Creative work goes well.

Don't hesitate to promote an unusual idea. If at all con-

Frances Drake = fused, remind yourself of basic objectives.

(Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) If you are thinking of moving, a valuable lead could be found today. Friends can come up with ideas of the control of the country of t come up with ideas for a new home or plan home en-tertainments.

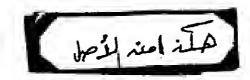
(Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Be circumspect about financial dealings but open about other matters. Accent creativity, and investigate new schools of thought. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21)

Put money-making ideas to work now for quick financial gain. If attending a social function, avoid any tendency toward jealousy. CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) VJ (0) Show others your ingenuity in work situations and be receptive to the ideas of a new friend at a get-together. Be innovative. AQUARIUS

(Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) A person you un-derestimated in the past may come up with a good ides. Give credit where it's due. Discussions with higher-ups

PISCES (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) This is a day for making new kriends, particularly if you are traveling. News from a distance should lighten your spirits. Sign up for that special



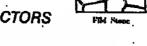
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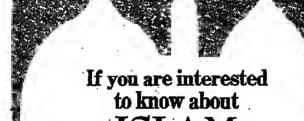
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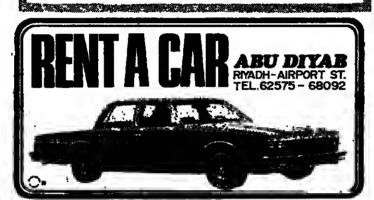


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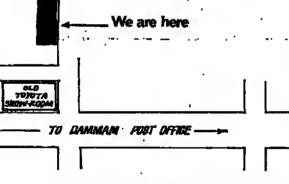


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Late News

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Thousands mourn Chou for 3rd successive day

Thousands of people gathered in Peking's central square for the third successive day Tuesday to pay homage to the late Premier Chou En-Lai and call for fewer restrictions on their lives.

Like Monday - the third anniversary of the death of Chou -- it was a festive occasinn as fresh wreaths in his memory were laid on the Monument to revolutionary in Tien An Men Martyrs

columns behind the Communist Party Youth League flag, and some people held a rally to demand democracy and human

Their demands included better food, housing and jobs. with the free-speech campai-

Chou en-lai has become a symbol of the poster cam-

China celebrates ties with U.S. folk songs

Chinese military band played the American folk songs "Shenandoab," and "Turkey in the Straw" in the great hall of the people Tuesday night as 600 Americans and Chinese celebrated the normalization of dip-

The party was hosted by the Association for Friendly Relations with Foreign Countries. headed by Wang Ping-nan, the ambassador to Sino-American Geneva talks of the 1950s.

But the star of the evening was Premier Chou En-lai's widow, Teng Ying-chao. Chou had hosted then President Nixon in the same huge banquet half in 1972 during his groundbreaking visit to China.

Among the 300 Americans were four visiting American senators — Sam Nunn of Georgia, William Cohen of Maine, Gary Hart of Colorado and former astronaut John 2,300 still stranded in Manila Bay

Vietnamese boat people flew to

new bumes in France Tuesday.

expressing joy for their freedom

but more than 2,300 are still

stranded aboard a foul-smelling

cargo ship stranded in Manila

Bay. (See related story, page

"I left my country involuntarily, and I'm sad for that. But 1

am very happy now that I'm going to bave my freedom."

said Kim Chi as she and the

nine others, including two wo-

men and a 3-year-old boy,

waited to board an Air France

Miss Cni was among the first

people laken off the Hong

Kong-based freighter Tung An

A chicken farmer and

family are to leave Wednesday

morning for New Zealand 10

The ship, turned away from

Brunei Iwo days before Christ-

mas, sailed into Manila Bay

four days later and has been

anchored off here since. Philip-

pine authorities have refused to

join relatives in Christchurch.

Monday for resettlement.

Posters appearing in the square have confirmed that there has 'been no official interference

paign.
A few weeks after his death

story, page 4). 1970 on the campus during a lomatic relations. protest against American bombing of Cambodia.

> on to Cambodia as the guests of the government of Pol Pol. but that regime was overthrown over the weekend by Vietnamese-backed Cambodian in-

The Chinese guests included those associated with the normalization effort, among them Foreign Minister Huang Hua and Culture Minister Huang Ohen, first bead of the Chinese Liaison Office in Wa-

10 refugees leave Tung An for France

The Americans also included eight former Kent State University students, several of whom were wounded by Ohio National Guardsmen in May

They were passing through Peking, expecting to continue

demonstrators were condemned at the time as counter-revolutionary and many were But now the April riots

are officially regarded as a revolutionary incident. This change in the party line unleashed a torrent of free speech that began with wall posters calling for the punishment of those involved in suppressing the pro-Chou demonstration.

in 1976, bloody rioting erup-

ted in the same square. The

The poster campaign moved on to criticism of Mao Tse-Tung himself, and now concentrates on democracy and human rights.

Only a tiny handful of China's 900 million people are actively participating in the campaign but the crowds cheering speakers in the equare indicated widespread support. They also clustered around

a poster calling for a memorial hall to be built for Chou. There have even been calls in the square for the body. of Mao Tse-tung to be removed from its huge mausodeum and the building to be

turned into a museum. The mausoleum has been shuttered for many weeks and it is now rare for visitors to inspect the body of Mao who received only five wreaths in last September's second

anniversary of his death. The hundreds of wreaths nutside Tuesday in memory of Chou reflected the esteem in which he is held for his mode-



NO OIL NO OIL: Iranian women return from the oil lines in Tehran Tuesday, where they waited for hours without getting a drop of the liquid particularly precious 24 winter has hit Tehran (See related story page one.) (AP photo)

To avert bankruptcy

Zaire chief asks for speedy aid

BRUSSELS, Jan. 9 (UPI) -President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire has asked the Belgian government to urge friendly nations to speed up emergency aid to his country, diplomatic sources said Tuesday.

Mobuta, who arrived here Saturday for a four-day pri-vate stay in Belgium, made the request at a meeting with Pri-me Minister Paul Vanden Thoeynants and several other members of the Belgian government Saturday night.

The emergency aid was part of a three-tier plan to save the Central African nation from bankruptcy. Eleven Western nations including the United States, Britain, France, West Germany and Canada met twice in Brussels at Bel-

gium's invitation last year. Zairean economy, already floundering after nationaliza-tion of all enterprises several years ago proved a failure, suffered two major blows when rebels living in exile in Angola invaded mineral-rich Shaba province twice in the

Shaba's mineral exports mainly copper, cobalt and manganese — provide Zaire with most of its foreign currency earnings.

At the second meeting of the "Zaire Club" in Brussels in November, the Western countries agreed to give Zaire some \$300 million in emergency aid.

Mobustu would like the West to speed up this assistance food, medicine and spare parts. The Zairean goment late last mouth that the food supply situation was dis-

Zeire, which used to be an exporter of farm products has become a net importer in the past few years. But foreign currency to pay for the imports is nonexistent. Transport in the country is erratic, add-

ing to the supply problems.

The Bas-Zaire area, southeast of Kinshasa, which used to be the main food supplier

of the capital, was hit by a 12-month drought which destroyed about 70 percent of the crops last year. Only foreign aid has been able to mitigate the consequences of the food Agriculture Minister Lepa-

tondele Zambite has been arrested for embezzling substan-tial government funds his mimistry had received to revive agriculture. The government also admit-

ted that the transport situation has become impossible because of lack of financial means and spare parts. The government said it hoped to get sufficient spare parts in January to _eep running 120 bases which still are operating in Kinshasa against 1,000 a year ago.

The second stage of the recovery plan deals with mone-tary aid financial stabilization. An International Monetary Fund team headed by Erich Blumenthal of West Genmany is investigating the operations of the nation's central bank.

The IMF team has blacklisted 50 finms which will get no further credits until they have repatriated funds they are holding abroad. They also were banned from exporting and importing and will get no banking facilities.

Czech lawyer pressured to drop Charter 77 case

VIENNA, Jan. 9 (UPI) -Czechoslovak authorities have forced the defense lawyer of a Charter 77 spokesman to withdraw from the case or risk expulsion from the Lawyers Association, dissidents said Tuesday.

Dr. Josef Danis, a Prague lawyer, was told he will be expelled from the Czechoslowak Lawyers Association if he should insist on defending Jaroslav Sabata in court, the dissidents said.

Sabata, one of the three spokesman of the Charter 77 human rights movement, will stand trial on Thursday on charges of attacking a police guard near the Polish border on Oct 1

Anna Sabata, his daughter, told dissidents from Prague that the defense lawyer has informed her about the pressure exerted by the authorities and that he could not defend

Greek tanker spreads oil on Spain beaches and technicians boarded the SAN CIPRIAN, Spain, Jan.

9 (Agencies)—An oil slick from the holed Greek supertanker Andros Patria has fouled beacbes along a 100-kilometer stretch of coastline in this northwestern Spanish region.

Naval authorities who inspected the area, 150 kilometers north of the Galician capital of La Coruna, said Spanish navy ships were on their way to dump detergent on the

Residents began to clean up the beaches, and local officials said damage to valuable sbeilfish beds in the area could be costly.

The Andros Patria, which leaked a large quantity of oil after it was ripped by explo-sions on New Year's Eve, was reported moving under tow about 250 miles off the Portuguese coastal town of Peniche. A Portuguese Navy spokes-

man in Lisbon said a new Greek captain, five Greek crew members and a Dutch salvage team bad been transferred on board the tanker.

About 150,000 208,000 tons of Iranian light crude oil originally on the Andros Patria are estimated to be still on board.

A spokesman for Petroleum in Portugal said the tanker British Dragoon, with special bydraulically-operated fenders for going alongside ships, docked last Friday in Lisbon.

Oil transfer is normally only attempted in shekered anchorages, but the Portuguese government has ordered that it be done outside its 200-mile economic limit in case of pol-

Despite heavy seas, sailors

crewless and leaking supertanker Andros Patria as representatives of the ship's owners and

the Portuguese Navy met to decide its fate. A six-man crew and eight Dutch technicians boarded the 218,000-ton Greek tanker-oping a 20-mile oil-slick-trail -

tugese Navy spokesman said Swiss curb

land sales to aliens BERN, Switzerland Jan 9

(AP) - The Swiss government reacting to prolests over "the sellous of the homeland," plans to lighten curbs on real estate sales to foreigners. Such sales involved about one

billion francs, \$610 million worth of property last year despile the franc's sharp appreciaijon againsi all oiber Western currencies. A Justice Ministry statement

outlined the new measures, which it said were designed to hak "an unpleasant develop-

A quota system effective July I will limit the maximum number of purchase permits for foreign buyers in key tourist regions to roughly one half the 1977 totals.

A Justice Ministry spokesman said about 5,000 permits were granted in 1978, compared with 4.173 in 1977 and 3,600.

Double victory near for Indira Congress

Former Prime Minister Indira Gandbi's opposition party beaded for expected victory Tuesday night in two parliamentary by-elections in South India.

One pro-Gandhi candidate Nandi Yelliab, was declared elected by All India Radio after taking a lead of more than 40,000 votes in the counting Sunday in the Siddipet District 600 kilometers east of Bombay. The second Gandhi suppor-

ters P.S. Sankar, had a lead of nearly 15,000 votes at Secunderabad, 650 kilometers soutbeast of Bombay. Both seats were won by Mrs. Gandbi's backers in the March general election in which her party was swept from power by the forces of Morarji Desai, her successor as prime minister. The vacancies were created

by resignations late last year. Desai's Janata Party holds 303 of the 544 seats in the ruling lower house. Mrs. Gandhi's wing of the Congress Party bas 77 seats, counting the two in Andhra Pradesh state. where the by-elections were

The state government controlled by her party, as is



the neighboring state of Karnataka. where Mrs. Gandhi herself won a November by election

But she was expelled from parliament and sent to prison for a week last month after the lower house voted to rule her in contempt of parliament for blocking a probe of her son Sanjay's auto firm.

From page one

Jam was considered by Bakhtiar and apparently by the Shah, as a suitable minister in a cabinet which the new premier wanted to be "untainted by association with the corrupt regimes of the past 25 years."

in another development, the

personal property of the Iranian royal family be turned over to a crown-sponsored foundation and ordered the release of 266 prisoners convicted by military tribunals,

safety (AP photo).

let the boat people land, saying

French Ambassador Ranhael

Leonard Touze said France

will take 50 more refugees from

the Tung An within the next

there was no room for them

at a suburban refugee center.

Iran's state radio said the

property, estimated to be valued at hundreds of millions Shah decreed Tuesday that all of dollars, was being transfer-

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Tuesday Britain and Hong formally responded to the ap-

Kong have agreed to resettle peals for help. Israel informed

Tung An refugees "who are "the ministry Monday it is ready

able to prove their claims to to take 100 of the Tung An's

red to the Pahlavi Foundation "for the use of religious, educational, social and web fare organizations organized by the people and run by them."

RESCUE: Malaysians help a Vienamese woman to shore from her refugee ship. Off

The foreign ministry said

have close lies with Britain and passengers.

Manila, 10 refugees accepted by France have made it to a possibly

few days.

· Palace sources said the divested property included the Shah's vast domestic holdings in company stocks, banks, factories and land. The national Pars News

Agency said the 266 prisoners who had been detained in Tehran's central police department prison "for various offenses" had been pardoned by the Shah. Pars attributed the announcement to the Imperial Iranian Armed Forces tribu-

The announcement also said the pardon of other prisoners was being studied. The government previously had said

there were about 200 persons in prison convicted of noncapital political offenses, but i uesday's announcement did not specify whether the paruoned group comprised these political prisoners.

more secure

Hong Kong."
Six governments have now

Bakbtiar meanwhile, was quoted by the daily "Etellast" newspaper as saying that a 200man sabotage band of Communists. who had illegally crossed the border from Afghanistan, had been rounded up tollowing disturbances in miotown Tehran Monday

Bakhtias said the group had. intended to engage in arson and pillage. Heavy arms and explosives were found in searches of their apartments in Tehran, Bakhtiar said, add-

"I will not allow Afghans

tan to export to us red revolution and massacre."

While snow-covered Tehran was experiencing one of als quietest days in the last two months, there were reports of at least six deaths in anti-Shah violence in the provin-

In Paris, the Shah's main religious opponent. Ayatullah Ruhollah Khomeini, said m an interview published Tuesday that there might be a military coup in Iran. But the 78-year-old religious

leader told the French newspaper "Le Monde" that his followers would resist any coup d'etat and fight until an Islamic government was installed in Tehran.

"Such a comp d'etat is possible. It would be the last obstacle the regime could

throw in the people's path. Khomeini said

He told "Le Monde" that if his tollowers succeeded, he would nominate a committee to act as an interim government and organize elections to a national assembly.

Fighting

since South Yemen gained independence from Britain in 1967. Before then, he commanded a liberation group but lost to the marxists in a power struggle.

"The battles which are raging now on the soil of South Yemen mark a new phase in the confrontation against the Aden regime, now that the mi-litary nucleus of a Yemeni liberation army has been formed.", the spokesman said.

ed tank reinforcements into air area near a strategic hilkop village held by United Na-

The commander of a 130stationed in the village of officers accompanied by two Israel had arrived about three join Unifil units. weeks ago in the Debel area seven kilometers northeast of the Israeli border and the same distance southeast of Yater

tions forces.

The French unit and about 550 other French troops in the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (Unifil) are expected to be pulled out next month and it is not clear who will replace them, U.N. officials said.

The French pullout has raised feare that the rightists are

planning a thrust against Yater during the troop changeover.

Unifil commander Mai, Gen Emmanuel Brskine, meanwhile, man French unit of U.N. troops said that six Lebanese and Yater, said 18 Sherman tanks Lebanese soldiers arrived in supplied to the rightists by southern Lebanon Monday 10

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Egyptian Pame Minister Mus tapha Khadi toki Vance that Egypt is prepared for further negotiations on a peace treaty. And that the U.S. is consider Department spokesman Hot-

ter was received Sunday "200 we are reflecting on it." He said he could not discuss the contents of the letter, but said, "the Egyptian povero ment is making the same point privately that it did publicly.

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